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EIGHT MEMBERS OF STEAMER'S CREW MISSING

La Negra With a Cargo of Beef for an American Port Sunk by German Submarine

(By Associated Press)

An Atlantic Port, Sept. 22—The British steamer Negra has been reported sunk by a German submarine. The attack on the steamer was made off the coast of Plymouth Sept. 3.

The LaNegra was bound from Buenos Aires to an American port with a cargo of Argentine beef.

Members of the crew were picked up by an American steamer. Eight members ofthe crew including one officer have not been accounted for. Considerable anxiety is felt for their safety.

CROWN PRINCE'S ATTACK MEETS WITH REPULSE

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 22—Troops led by Crown Prince Rupprecht continued the attack east of Ypres. The advance was met with a heavy counter attack and resulted in the heavy loss of lives.

Field Marshal Haig in communication with headquarters stated that the German forces had used considerable force to gain ground but with no success.

VERY LITTLE FIGHTING IN THE RIGA SECTION

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, Sept. 22—Reports from the Russian war office state that the Russian troops on the Riga front are now located on the right bank of the River Dvina in the region of Jacobstradt. Reports of the encounters contained very little concerning the fighting in that section.

WILL ENGAGE IN BUSINESS.

Charles M. Berry, who for the past nineteen years has been employed at Hoyt & Dow's store, is to conclude his duties shortly. Mr. Berry in company with Philip T. Duffy, formerly of this city, will engage in the restaurant business in Dorchester, Mass.

GERMAN PEOPLE FAVOR POPE'S PEACE PROPOSAL

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Sept. 22—Reports have been received from the German government that the German people are ready to support the Imperial administration in the views that have been taken on the peace proposal offered by Pope Benedict.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Fair tonight and Sunday; little change in temperature; moderate northwest winds.

Sun Rises	5.31
Sun Sets	5.42
Length of Day	12.11
High Tide	2.51 am, 3.06 pm
Moon Sets	8.53 pm
Light Automobile Lamps at	6.12 pm

HOUSE COMMITTEE MAY INVESTIGATE BERNSTORFF PLOT

State and Department of Justice Intimate That Drastic Steps Will be Taken In Connection With the Exposure

(By Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22—Officials in the state department and the department of justice are determined that the Count Von Bernstorff exposure shall be followed to the end and intimate that drastic measures will be taken.

In a statement made yesterday Sectary Lansing asserts that the former Washington diplomat and German ambassador to the United States had attempted to expend $50,000 in an attempt to bribe certain Washington officials for the purpose of gaining information that might assist the German government in the present war crisis.

Chairman Flood of the house foreign affairs committee stated today that a possible investigation of the exposure might be made by the house committee.

In an attempt to further institute a German intrigue in the United States, Coun Von Bernstorff is alleged to have requested permission from the German government to spend the sum of $50,000 in an attempt to influence the U. S. congress to end the war.

Secretary Lansing said: "If there is any misunderstanding relative to the Count Von Bernstorff exposure I can not see how it can possibly relied on any United States Congressman. It is possible that Bernstorff might have planned to have his agents attempt such a thing but never has it been done. I do not know the organization that has been mentioned in connection with this affair as the one through which Bernstorff is said to have done his business."

Representative Heflin of Alabama, has stated that he is of the opinion that a House investigation will be necessary to bring this matter to the attention of the proper authorities and to have the matter brought to a satisfactory end.

Chairman Flood of the Foreign Affairs Committee was in conference with Secretary Lansing for over an hour this morning. Neither of the government officials would state what transpired at the meeting.

All Washington officials are strong in their negative view that any money had changed hands in the Capital. The fact that Bernstorff should make an attempt of this kind is scorned by men at Washington.

MEN OF FIRST CONTINGENT PROMOTED

Cronin and Hyde Sergeants; Harmon Clerking and Rand on Way to France.

The men in the first contingent of the draft army who left this city for Camp Devens have already been honored by promotions and assignments.

William F. Cronin is acting as sergeant in a company of the Three Hundred and Second Regiment.

Lincoln Spencer Hyde who was in command of the contingent leaving Portsmouth is a top sergeant in the Three Hundred and Third Regiment.

George Leroy Harmon is doing clerical work in the quartermaster's department and Seth B. Rand is on his way to France with one of the crack companies.

TO CONSIDER THE MATTER OF FREEING BRIDGE

Maine and New Hampshire Commissioners Will Meet In This City at an Early Date

A meeting of the Maine and New Hampshire commissions appointed to take up the matter of freeing the Portsmouth and Kittery toll bridge will be held in this city very shortly. Governor Keyes informed the Herald that he had sent out a call for a meeting.

The Maine members have agreed to come to Portsmouth on the date to be fixed. The New Hampshire members are Governor Keyes, U. S. Senator J. H. Gallinger and Hon. Calvin Page. In a letter from Senator Gallinger we quote the following:

"Andover, N. H., Sept. 20, 1917.

"My Dear Major Hartford:

"In performance of a promise I made you to report such progress as might be made in connection with the Commission appointed by the last Legislature to look after the matter of building a new bridge across the Piscataqua river I beg to say that on yesterday I had a conference with Governor Keyes, and it was agreed between us that sometime in the near future we would meet with the committee of the Maine Legislature to take the matter up carefully.

"Sincerely yours,

"J. H. GALLINGER."

THREE ITALIAN AIRSHIPS MAKE 200 MILE FLIGHT

(By Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22—Three Italian airships made a successful 200 mile flight from Hampton, Va., to Longley Field, Washington, today. The flight and landing was made without mishap. The machines were piloted by Italian aviators.

Lieut. Resiti, piloting the Canroni, carried nine passengers besides himself and a mechanic. Secretary Lane who was to have made the trip, stated at the last moment that it was impossible for him to leave his duties in Washington.

It is understood that despite the high price of building material, that there will be considerable building done here this fall. Margeson Brothers have started it with a contract for a big addition to their Vaughan street store.

Read the Want Ads.

BRITISH SHIPS BOMBARD THE TOWN OF OSTEND

Three German Sea Planes That Attempt to Interfere Are Shot Down By British Aeroplanes

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 22—British warships bombarded the town of Ostend early today. While the British war office reports that the bombardment was a success, very little detail was contained in the dispatch.

Three German seaplanes that attempted to interfere with the raid were shot down by a British fleet of aeroplanes that were hovering over Ostend at the time of the bombardment.

WEATHER PREDICTIONS FOR WEEK OF SEPT. 23

Washington, Sept. 22.—Weather conditions for the coming week as taken from the Washington observatories are: First of the week, fair, followed by rain Tuesday, followed by fair weather at the end of the week; frost is predicted for the first of the week, possibly Monday.

CONVOY OF BRITISH SHIPS REPORTED SUNK

(By Associated Press)

An American Port, Sept. 22—Passengers arriving in America state that five British ships and two British destroyers that formed a convoy, were sunk off the coast of Ireland.

In the dispatches it is stated that the sinking was thought to have been done by a fleet or German submarines.

The convoy had left Lough Swilly, Ireland, Sept. 3 and was out from the harbor but a few hours when the attack was made. A large loss of lives is reported.

Some two hundred sailors left town today on a ten days' furlough.

FALL SUITINGS OF EXCEPTIONAL BEAUTY

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MARKET STREET

AMERICAN MACHINERY WILL BE USED ON A LARGE SCALE

(By Associated Press)

Athens, Sept. 22.—American agricultural machinery is to be used on a huge scale to develop the rich agricultural resources of Macedonia and Thessaly, which have lain fallow ages in an undeveloped state. One of the largest orders ever given by Greece has just been placed with United States concerns, and the first shipments of 200 farm tractors, 1500 autorakes, and a whole shipload of other large implements left New York on the first of the Greek liners to sail since the Entente blockade was raised.

A company with $3,000,000 capital, has just been founded to carry on this development of Macedonia and Thessaly. It is chiefly Greek money, with some French and American. But part of the plan called for utilizing modern American methods, by which farming is conducted in the western states on a huge scale. The ancient methods of ploughing and harvesting still prevail in Thessaly and lower Greece, and this will be the first time that the big steam farm tractors have been operated here on a large scale. Even the primitive wooden plough is used by many peasants, but at Volo, in Thessaly, iron and steel ploughs have been turned out for some time past.

This development of the Balkan graneries on a large scale is one of the necessities forced on Europe by the war. All of the countries have suddenly realized that they could not feed themselves in the pinch of war. Greece alone has bought about $16,000,000 worth of grain every year from the United States, Russia and Bulgaria. With these countries cut off by submarines and war conditions, Greece is now trying to get wheat from India. The other Balkan states are in the same condition. They have lots of idle land but are feeding themselves from America and beyond seas.

The formation of this new company has resulted from this determination, encouraged by the government, to develop the fertile Balkan regions so that Greece and the other Balkan countries may hope to be self-supporting and even contribute to the grain supply of the rest of Europe. Macedonia virtually is a virgin soil, very rich, and capable of large crops. The Macedonian tobacco already commands high prices in the world's markets. It trebled in value the last year.

Thessaly is the region where the French High Commissioner, M. Jonnart, introduced intensive farming the past summer in order to meet the pressing needs of Greece. It is one of the best wheat regions, and even with primitive methods it produced last year 5,000,000 bushels of wheat, oats, barley and rye, 10,000,000 pounds of tobacco, and much cotton and rice.

With the large consignments of American machinery now on the way, and abundant capital available, it is expected that these products of Macedonia and Thessaly will be enormously increased, and that the hope will be at last realized of making it one of the great graneries of Eastern Europe.

ROTTERDAM'S SHIPING AT STANDSTILL WITH COUNTRIES

(By Associated Press)

Rotterdam, Netherlands, Sept. 22.—Rotterdam's shipping traffic last year fell to the level of the year 1870 as regards the number of ships, and to the level of 1892 in respect to tonnage, according to the annual report of the Rotterdam Chamber of Commerce. The shipping arrivals of the whole country numbered 5,114, with a net tonnage of 4,681,117, as compared with 6,351 ships measuring 6,621,478 in 1916.

Traffic with Spain, Russia, Rumania and many other European countries is entirely at a standstill, and that with Africa almost in a like condition. Nearly half Rotterdam's shipping traffic was carried on with Britain, Norway and Sweden. The other half was with the United States and Argentina, whence came the country's grain imports.

A large part of the Rhine fleet was employed in the transport of gravel from Germany and Holland over inland waterways to Belgium. This material is destined for German military and other uses, and its conveyance through Dutch waters has not been viewed with much favor to the Entente Powers. Holland maintains that such transport is permissible under international law, and that in these circumstances strict neutrality forbids prevention of the traffic. Another considerable part of the Rhine fleet, in the absence of the usual busy traffic with Germany, was chartered to carry coal from Belgium (Antwerp) to Germany, Switzerland, Scandinavia and Holland.

Germany, Austria and Belgium being cut off from the Netherlands East Indian market, and Britain's supplies being mostly confined to textile goods and fertilizers, the report says America and Japan took advantage of the position to considerably increase their sales to the East Indies. America supplies more machinery and ironware than formerly, and her exports to those colonies are expected to increase. It is probable, in the Chamber's opinion, that Japan will continue to serve the Netherlands East Indian market after the war. So greatly has the war hampered telegraphic communication between mother country and colony that it is now almost a rule for telegrams to take 10 to 12 days. If Holland remains true to its free trade policy, the Rotterdam Chamber anticipates that she may after the war fill an important role as middleman between the present belligerent countries, whose commercial relations may not at first be of the best description.

THE WAR WILL SUPPLY MOTIVES FOR VARIOUS PLAYS AFTER PEACE

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 22—The continuous play, presented perhaps on a revolving stage, will develop after the war in the opinion of Lady Wyndham, wife of Sir Charles Wyndham, the British actor and theatrical manager. Before her marriage to Charles, Lady Wyndham was Miss Mary Moore, an actress and his partner in the management of several London theatres.

The war, she declares, in an article in the Pall Mall Gazette, "will probably supply motives for various plays long after peace has been restored—not the war which is expressed in glimpses of battle, but the war as it shows itself in the hearts of men and women and influences their lives and their actions.

"My belief is that after the war an entirely new style of play will be evolved, and it will then be considered old fashioned to drop the curtain and have an entr'acte. The practically continuous play will be due, if it comes into being, to various causes. There is, among other things, a tendency for people to go to revues and music halls, where the curtains do not drop.

"It is an indication of the restlessness of the age, and it was noticeable before the war. If these people are to be attracted to the theatre, they must have plays presented to them which do not contain a series of breaks. There may be rapid changes of scenes and costumes, or there may be the same setting throughout the performance.

"To have the same setting from beginning to end in a successful play would mean the need for greater art on the part of the players. As for the writer of plays of the kind which I foresee, he will find the work quite easy if he is a good craftsman.

"One misfortune arising from a new style of play will be the loss to the public of many fine examples of the playwright's art which have won fame in the past. It may be that theatres will have to be altered. For instance, the stage of each theatre may have to be of the revolving type, to enable the swift change of scene to be brought about as I suggest. Something of the sort exists at the Coliseum.

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NEWINGTON

Newington, N. H., Sept. 22—The 25th anniversary of our public library occurred on Wednesday, Sept. 19. In the afternoon a large assembly collected at the church consisting of our towns-people and those from the surrounding towns to listen to these eloquent and able speakers: Rev. Don I. Patch, a former pastor; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley from Exeter and a professor from Durham college. Music was rendered by Mrs. Badger of Portsmouth. The program was pleasing, interesting and instructive, proving the influence of the library and the need of one in a town. At the close of the exercises all adjourned to the library where they were served with fruit punch and fancy and assorted crackers. On this occasion our minds reverted back to the year when Mr. Woodbury Langdon of New York, for whom the library is named, offered to establish a library of two thousand volumes if the town would provide a building for the same. This magnificent gift was accepted and the structure was erected and the trustees elected in 1892. Mr. Langdon after installing the books extended his generosity and gave the town money enough to defray the running expenses of the library. Since his death, his brother, the present Mr. Langdon, and his wife have continued their interest in the library and they make an annual donation of nearly 100 new books and magazines. Our people have been and are very thankful for these gifts and for all gifts that have been given to the library at different times from different individuals. We hope that the present and succeeding generations will continue to show their thankfulness for the library by meeting at stated times, as on this occasion to celebrate the library's birthday.

On Wednesday evening many parents met in the town hall to confer and see if arrangements can be made with the managers of the Motor Bus line to extend their route through the center of the town in the early morning and again at an early hour in the afternoon for the purpose of conveying the High school pupils to and from Portsmouth. We all hope that this plan will go into effect at once.

Miss Alice Pickering was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Edward Adams and daughter Avis were in town recently calling on friends.

Many former residents, friends and acquaintances was in town on Wednesday to attend the anniversary exercises at the library.

All are deeply grieved to hear of the death of Rev. Dr. Roble of Greenland. Sincere sympathy is extended to his relatives and to the people of that town.

Miss Dame of Newmarket is the guest of Miss Myrtle Coleman.

Miss Etta Mason of Massachusetts is passing a few weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Josephine Hoyt.

EXETER

Exeter, Sept. 22.—Leonard A. Knight of Brentwood who was ordered to report here yesterday morning at the draft board for service at Camp Devens at Ayer, did not appear, and he was at once reported to the Adjutant General. Knight, who has been in Canada, sent word that he would appear for examinations if funds for his expenses were forwarded, and if given time to adjust his business. He was later ordered to report here, and he sent to camp without further ceremony.

Harry E. Dame of Nottingham, another delinquent who did not appear for examination was also ordered to report here for duty at Ayer. Dame appear yesterday morning, and was sent to Derry, from whence he went to Ayer with the rest of the Rockingham county contingent. Maurice G. Armstrong of Windham, Clifford A. Sawyer of Atkinson, and Henry D. Mills of Chester, have been discharged by the district board on industrial grounds.

Mary Long Gilman, sister of ex-Postmaster Daniel Gilman, and a step daughter of ex-Gov. Charles H. Bell, died yesterday at her summer home at Little Boars' Head. Mrs. Gilman was a native of Exeter and has always lived here. She was 57 years old, having been born Oct. 25, 1860, a daughter of Joseph T. and Mary E. (Gray) Gilman. She was prominently identified with the Unitarian church.

The Ladies' Social Circle and Home Missionary society of the Baptist church held a missionary meeting yesterday afternoon in the ladies' parlor at the church. The leader was Mrs. E. A. Bickford, the study book being "An African Trail," and the subject "Africa."

Exeter will make an effort to raise $250 next week for the War library fund. Miss C. B. Bylngton, librarian of the Exeter public library, is to act as treasurer, and will receive the subscriptions.

Game Warden Fred H. Thompson of Hampton has completed his first year in office, and during the time has made a record of 30 arrests, securing convictions in nearly every case.

Corporal Henry Scammon of the former Coast Artillery company, who has charge of the recruiting station here, has been ordered to do recruiting duty at the Rochester fair next week. He has been in the vicinity of Northwood this week, where he succeeded in obtaining some recruits for the service.

Walter E. Moss, who has served as manager of the Exeter opera house for the Goldstein Brothers, with the exception of a year which he was at Westfield, Mass., for the same company, has been granted an extended leave of absence at his own request, and will soon engage in the insurance business. He has been acting as manager of the Strand at Hampton Beach during the past summer.

The Herald prints all the important local news first.

PROPOSED SALE OF CATHEDRAL IS OPPOSED

(By Associated Press)

Havana, Sept. 22—The proposed sale of the historic Columbus Cathedral here by the ecclesiastical authorities and fear that it would be destroyed have aroused such a storm of opposition that the edifice which is 213 years old, probably will soon pass into the ownership of the Cuban government as a permanent national monument. The cathedral was completed by the Jesuit Fathers in 1704, and it is asserted that the bones of Christopher Columbus were removed from Santo Domingo to its crypt in the following year, though this is disputed by the Santo Domingans.

KITTERY

Kittery, Sept. 22.—The Amateur Club met on Friday evening with Miss Hilda Fife of Otis avenue, and the members took up the time by doing work for the Red Cross. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. George Reynolds of Cambridge, Mass., and Hampton Beach, is passing a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Harrison Baldwin of Stimson street left on Friday for her home in Torrington, Conn., for a two weeks' visit. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Mabel MacClelland, who has passed the summer in town.

Miss Alice Murray returned on Friday to her home in Springvale, after a two weeks' visit with her cousin, Miss Mildred Gerry.

Howard M. Paul of Stimson street went to Medford, Mass., on Friday afternoon for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gerry of Love lane left Friday afternoon for a visit with relatives in Springvale.

During the temporary absence of the Kittery correspondent any one having notes for this column is requested to call 121M, and all such will be looked after.

A reception under the auspices of the Epworth League, will be tendered Rev. J. F. Jenner and family, at the Government Street church on Wednesday evening next.

Mrs. Addie Plaisted of North Berwick is the guest of her brother, William Wilson, and family, of North Kittery.

Extensive improvements have been started this week on the former Tralp estate at the navy yard entrance, by the present owner, J. P. Sugrue, who plans to make over the present building into a business block and flats to rent.

Second Christian Church, Rev. Carl L. Nichols, pastor—Morning service at 10.30, sermon topic, "The Submissive Life"; Sunday school at noon; Christian Endeavor service, 6 p. m., subject, "How We Should Work Together"; leaders, Mrs. Henry Thompson, Mrs. Sidney Maxwell; evening service, 7 p. m., sermon topic, "The Lord of the Submissive Life."

Government Street Methodist Church—Rev. John Frank Jenner, minister—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m., subject, "The Master's Vessel"; vesper service, 5 p. m., subject, "The Birthright of the Modern Esau"; Epworth League, 6 p. m., subject, "Appreciation as a Strategic Method of Approach." A cordial welcome is extended to everyone.

The First M. E. church held its prayer meeting on Friday night at the church at 7.30 p. m. The pastor spoke on "The Soul's Inventory." Services on Sunday will be as usual. Preaching at 10.45 by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Wentworth, subject, "The Bible—Its Truth and Power"—Isa. 40:8. The Sunday School service will follow. The pastor will preach in the evening at 7.30 on "The Ideal Christian"—Acts 8:35-36. The pastor reports that the church is growing and prospering in every way. The people are getting a clearer vision of the mission of the church.

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KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Sept. 22—The U. S. coast survey men who have had headquarters in Pepperrell Cove since last April have received orders to strip their boats and the officers ordered to Washington to be examined for service.

Prof. Charles C. Dodge and Mrs. Dodge have closed their home on Moore's Island today and returned to their home in Salem, Mass. They will make frequent visits to Kittery Point during the fall and winter months. They have spent their summers here for 20 years, stopping the first season at the Pepperrell hotel.

Prof. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson closed their house and returned to Princeton, N. J., yesterday. They have a delightful home here. We will look forward to their return in the early summer of 1918.

Miss Annie Dodge returned to her home in Boston today after spending several weeks with relatives in town.

William Dean Howells of York Harbor visited relatives in town on Friday.

Miss Alice Patch returned to her home today after spending a week with her aunt in Eliot.

Joseph E. Frisbee of Pittsfield, Mass, will spend the week-end with his family at Tavislock Island.

Rev. E. W. Cummings returned on Friday from a few days' visit with his son in Durham, N. H.

Spellman Ledge Beacon in the harbor will be rebuilt about October 1, 1917.

A party of Free Masons from Kittery Point will visit Salem, Mass., Monday evening next to witness the Fellowcraft degree. They will go in autos.

Mrs. Sarah Serle has returned to her home after visiting relatives in Boston for the past ten days.

William Anderson of Crockett's Neck road has returned to his home after visiting friends in Westbrook and other places in Maine.

Mrs. Waldo Hanscom of Kittery visited her daughter Mrs. Frank C. Frisbee on Friday.

The early frosts have killed the leaves on many trees, the beautiful large elm trees in Postoffice Square being nearly bare.

Miss Violet Pruett left for Peabody today to enter upon her new duties as an instructor in a hospital there. Miss Pruett is one of Kittery Point's finest young ladies and is making a name for herself.

Congregational Church

11, Morning worship; Rev. John A. Waterworth, pastor.

12, Sunday school.

Free Baptist Church

10.45, Morning worship; sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. W. Cummings. Topic, "The Public School in Character Building."

7.30, Evening service. Topic "A Challenge to Service."

First Christian Church

11.45, Junior Christian Endeavor.

12.30, Sunday school.

2, Afternoon service.

6.45, Young People's meeting.

7.30, Evening worship.

CONDUCTING QUIET SURVEY

London, Sept. 21.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—For several months past, scientists in the employ of the British Government have been conducting a quiet survey of the possibility of uncovering important beds of petroleum somewhere in the British Isles. No official statement of the results of their scrutiny has been made, but an indication that they are more than hopeful is found in the introduction by the government of an unassuming little bill under the title "Petroleum Production Act," which gives the Cabinet sweeping powers to proceed with the boring of wells and turns over to the government all rights in connection with oil production, subject merely to the payment of certain royalties to the owners of the land.

Oil is already obtained in considerable quantities in Scotland, but it is produced not from wells, as in America, but by the distillation of bituminous shale. In 1915 the total output of these Scottish shales was about 3,000,000 tons, yielding 20 gallons of oil per ton. This indicates an oil production of about 60,000,000 gallons. There are similar deposits of oil-bearing shale in many parts of the British Isles, but little attempt has been made to develop them, owing to the expense of the distillation process.

The new Petroleum Production Bill, however, refers definitely to boring for oil, and not to the further development of the shale industry. The probability is that the borings will have to be of very great depth, and that this is one of the principal reasons why the enterprise cannot be successfully left in private hands. At Kelham, England, a test boring was made some years ago to a depth of 2000 feet, when a bed of oil-bearing sand was reached which for some time yielded from five to eight gallons of high-grade petroleum daily. The new government borings will probably be pushed to a far greater depth than this.

In introducing the Production Bill, Walter Long, on behalf of the Government, said:

"Since Lord Northcliffe went to America we have received from him some invaluable suggestions dealing with the oil question. Owing to the magnitude and importance of the work the government has sent Sir Frederick Black, former Director General of Munitions Supply, to the United States, to represent us in the matter. While our primary duty just now is to get various necessary oil products from other countries, there is also the question of possible supplies at home.

"We have been advised that it is quite probable that oil exists in various parts of the country.

"The government, therefore, has determined to bring in a Bill dealing with the question."

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LOCAL IATIONAL AMY MEN IN CAMP AT AYER

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Soldiers of thnew National Army this is the rank the thirty men from this district, w yesterday, after a royal send-offm the citizens of this city, slept lasight in the barracks of the big thing camp at Ayer, Mass., wherey will in all probability remain ur no longer recruits, but well trained ldiers, they will take their place the front ranks of the world's warr liberty and justice.

No set oen leaving home to the worlds nott calling, ever went away with tler cheer than the thirty men who t here yesterday. Once out of Portsmth in the automobiles which toothem to Camp Devens, the boys setti back for a long and most pleasant je. The route was by the way of Aesbury, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lell to Ayer. While the weather wathreatening when they left this cityt Hampton the skies cleared and the was ideal weather for the remain of the trip.

Led Mayor Ladd the boys in all of thers were made to feel at ease and o out of this city and away from me ties they became a very cheerl lot singing and enjoying every nute of their time.

They arrived at Ayer at the main gate of the cantonment at 12.43 and they were immediately reported in by Leon E. Hudson who was in command. After the preliminary medical examination, that every recruit gets before he is allowed inside of the gates of the camp, an examination which every man passed, they were turned over to Major Wainwright and assigned to their barracks, in the 303 company of heavy artillery.

On the invitation of the officer of the day Mayor Ladd and the escort from this city were permitted to accompany the men to their quarters and inspect a part of the camp, which was an exceedingly busy place. Fresh recruits were arriving every minute and they were being handled in a manner that indicates that once in full running order it will b ea wonderful military establishment.

The trip over from this city was uneventful otler than a brake on one of the cars going bad and rather than take any risk the draft men in that car were shifted to other cars and continued on without delay. The escort arrived home early Friday evening, well pleased with their days work

BILLIANT SCENE WHEN KING ALEXANDER TAKES OATH

(By Associated Press)

Athens, Sept. 22.—King Alexander w the center of a brilliant scene as hmade his first appearance before rliament today, took the oath to to as a constitutional monarch, and livered his first speech from the rone. He looked a boyish king, for he is just 24 and the youngest king in Europe. But he is tall, stalwart and good looking and, in his uniform of an officer of the guards with the medals and ribbons of royalty, he had all the bearing and dignity of a monarch.

The event was notable in many respects. Neither this young man nor anyone else ever expected that he would ever be king, until a few weeks ago. He is a sort of war king; a product of the great European war. His brother had been trained to be a king and had received a course in high politics. But when the Entente Allies gave King Constantine an ultimatum to abdicatte, they requied also that the Crown Prince, who had been trained for king-ship, should also leave. And so this younger son, untrained in statecraft was suddenly compelled to take up a crown and become a monarch. He had expected to follow the career of a soldier, and had been to school in England and at the royal military school Potsdam.

The event was chiefly notable, however, in being a sort of transition from royalty to democracy—another result of the European war. While this young man was king, yet the oath he was just taking was to rule as a constitutional monarch, and his appearance in parliament here today, with the Prime minister and ministry and the Entente Allies had contended, that a responsible Ministry directs the affairs of the country and not the king.

The recognition of this principle was very prominent in the ceremony of today. It was less a royal funotion and more a gathering of democracy. Before the king were the elected representativs of th people, all about him were the ministers, and there were comparatively few court attendants. The speech from the throne had been prepared by the ministers, and when the moment arrived for its delivery, the Prime minister, Venizelos, took it from his pocket and passed it to the king for delivery.

The pronouncement of the King, thus framed by the ministery, carefully avoided any offensive reference to the dethronement of King Constantine, for this was a delicate family matter which would involve criticism by a son ofthe acts of his father. But it openly reversed the policy of the former king, in strongly approving the course of the Entente, whom the King now referred to as friends and allies, battling of rthe defense of humanity, as against th rapacity of the Central Powers.

As a spectacle, also, todays event had its interest. The Ministry had sought to give full scope to every royal prerogrative, for they wisr the new king to be a real representative before the people of a constitutional monarchy. The splendid coachs of the royal establishment, with powdered grooms and footmen, and heralds and outriders in brilliant uniforms, made an old world picture of royal pagentry, as the King moved between dense cheering masses, with solid lines of soldiers stretching from the palace to the parliamentary chamber. The marble colonnade of the chamber was garlaned with wreaths and flowers, and a great floral crown above the doorway indicated that even in this abode of democracy there was still a welcome of what remained of royalty.

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HIDE UNDER LOCOMOTIVE

Headquarters of the American Army in France, Sept. 21.—One military railroad close behind the fighting lines is being operated today by a regiment of American transportation engineers, some of whom have already received their baptism of fire from an attacking German airplane.

I visited the Americans as they arrived at their new barracks. They were welcomed by the roaring and thumping of French guns a few kilometres distant, where an artillery duel was raging. Airplanes swooped overhead, patrolling the sky for the Yankees.

En route to their positions behind the front the American boys gazed from car windows at evidences of real war. They passed through shattered towns and were much interested in the rusting wreck of a train that had been bombed some time before.

The soldiers told of how one American railroad crew was forced to take refuge under the tender of their locomotive a few nights ago, when a German airplane attacked. The Teuton flier was attracted by the glare of the engine's firebox in the dark. He first dropped bombs around the Americans and their train, then flew low, pouring a stream of bullets from his machine gun at the soldiers. When he departed the Americans emerged from their temporary shelter, mounted the bullet-pecked train and continued on their way.

Recurrent nocturnal airplane raids in the region of the American engineers' new barracks have filled the troops with an enthusiasm for digging day and night if necessary to complete their dugouts and bomb-proof shelters, although they ordinarily detest shovel

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UNIFORMS AT MORE MODERATE PRICE

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 22—In order to enable army officers to purchase their uniforms at a more moderate price, the war office has launched a scheme for the standardization of the cloth used. There will be fifteen standard varieties of material for breeches, coats and for overcoats and the price will be government-conrolled from the raw-wool stage to the completed garments. The tailor will not be allowed to charge his officer customer more than a certain maximuin which will enable the officer to outfit himself with breeches, coat and great coat for something under fifty dollars.

No restrictions will be placed on the prices tailors may ask for clothes already in stock. The new standard cloths will be distinguished by a narrow yellow and white stripe on the selvedge.

TO DRAFT ALIENS OF MILITARY AGE

Washington, Sept. 21.—More than 600,000 aliens who have signified their intention of becoming American citizens should be naturalized in three months under the terms of a bill introduced recently by Senator Calder of New York.

Statistics compiled by the bureau of naturalization made public today show that between July 1, 1916, and June 30, 1917, 626,616 aliens declared their intention of becoming citizens, but under the law a declarant cannot act upon his intention until the declaration is at least two years old.

Under the alien draft bill, now pending in Congress, these aliens would be liable for military service, thus relieving great numbers of Americans, particularly in cities having large foreign population. The bureau estimates that about 300,000 of the aliens are of military age. The bill also would naturalize foreigners who have enlisted in the military service of the United States.

NO ABNORMAL WAGES PAID

Washington, Sept. 21.—Maj. W. A. Starret, chief expert adviser in the building of America's 16 cantonment camps for the draft armies, today officially denied that exorbitant wages were paid laborers on the work.

"Statements have been made," it was suggested, "that abnormal and high wages were paid; that water boys, for instance, received $5 a day in some places.

"Perfectly absurd," said Maj. Starrett, "look at the situation and see for yourself. Here are the largest contractors in the country. Their margin of profit is very small, averaging about 3 1-2 per cent. Also they desire to serve the country.

"Take a certain company as an example. If they were out to pay big money or hold up the government, they could have laid down on the job just as well as not when the terms of the contract were violated by the government. But they didn't. Not only that, but the head of the concern himself put $1,000,000 of his own money into the job to keep it going for the government.

"Are people like that going to pay water boys $5 a day?

"The government has a very competent organization made up of civilian officers, reserve corps men, men who came out of the engineering concerns. Were they likely to pay $5? It's absurd."

"Were middle men used in buying supplies?"

"In some instances yes," said Maj. Starrett. "We dealt with a middle man in buying plumbing supplies. If we had bought them direct we would have had to buy from 25 different manufacturers, one part from each, bolts, washers pipes, nickel plates and so on.

"We made one company the assembling agent, the middle man and the government allowed them 5 per cent on the cost. Anybody approaching this subject intelligently will know that the middle man there was necessary and that he earned his profit. Generally speaking, however, we have dealt with all manufacturers direct."

To give some idea of the enormity of the task, Maj. Starrett said: "We spent $150,000,000 in three months.

"We provided 600 cubic feet of air space for each man, as compared with 360 feet for each man in European cantonments.

"There are 2000 buildings in each cantonment, or 32,000 in all. They are so built for fire protection that only one building can burn at a time.

"We saved $12,000,000 on the camps by building them two stories instead of one.

"Each cantonment occupies two square miles of territory, roughly.

"In addition to the gigantic cantonment construction work there is still under our direction $350,000,000 worth more of building in progress or contemplation.

"We used 4,000,000,000 feet of lumber from 190 mills throughout the country. We built 4000 miles of finished road surface. Roads approaching the camps will add another few hundred miles.

"We used 2000 miles of piping for the water supply systems and 2000 miles of drainage and sewerage pipes.

"It took a carload of tacks to put the tar paper on the roofs.

"Railroads delivered from 50 to 150 carloads of materials to each camp every day. There were about 3000 carloads of materials in all.

"We took care of 9000 to 10,000 work men at each camp every day.

"Some camps had a weekly pay roll of $160,000.

"The government had about 150 representatives in each camp. On one job the contractors held a foreman's meeting every morning, 300 to 500 foremen gathering to discuss plans.

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WESTERNERS DESERT ON WAY TO TRAINING CAMPS

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 21.—Difficulties in the mobilization of the new National Army are reported among a number of states in the middle states. In Missouri Kansas and Colorado, the forty per cent quota of the new draft men, have been found short of their required number when they arrived at Camp Funston. 19 men were missing from the St. Louis contingent when it arrived at the camp, but officers still hope that the men have only lost their trains. Another county which should have sent fifty sent but one man.

SPECULATION IN PAPER MONEY FORBIDDEN

Mexico City, Sept. 22—Speculation the the paper money issue by the provisional government before the constitutional government resumed operations May 1, has been strictly prohibited by a decree issued by President Carranza. Violation of this decree may be punished by one year in prison and a fine of from one hundred to one thousand pesos and the confiscation of the paper money in question.

LA FOLLETTE TRUE TO FORM

St. Paul, Sept. 21.—Cries of disapproval were shouted at Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin when, speaking at the closing session of the producers and consumers' conference here last night, he declared the United States never should have been at war and sought to defend the sinking of the Lusitania. The disturbance subsided almost immediately, and the senator proceeded with his address.

"Who is abroad crying in the loudest tones?" asked the senator. "Business, which is making money. The new projects of patriotism are masquerading in the livery of heaven while you are serving the devil.

"I have just come from Washington, where with a little handful of men I have bee nwaging a fight demanding that taxation should be laid, according to the ability to pay.

"I wasn't in favor of beginning this war. We had no grievance. The German government had interfered with our rights to travel on the high seas—as passengers on the munition ships of Great Britain.

"On these grievances, which were insignificant considering the rights and consequences involved, we went to war. We had a right to ship munitions, but I wasn't in favor of the riding."

FLAG MAKERS TO FACE CHARGES.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Twenty leading flag makers in different parts of the country were formally charged by the federal trade commission today with making exorbitant profits out of American patriotism by concerted illegal action to raise flag prices.

The complaint was the result of the commission's recent investigation into the sudden rise in flag prices after the declaration of war, made at the request of the Senate. The investigation showed that in some cases 300 per cent profit was made. Hearing on the charges will be held Nov. 5.

The Association of Flag Manufacturers, and its chairman, Harold H. Turner, was charged with acting as a clearing house for price information. Companies named in the complaint include Sigsbee & Co., Ayer, Mass.

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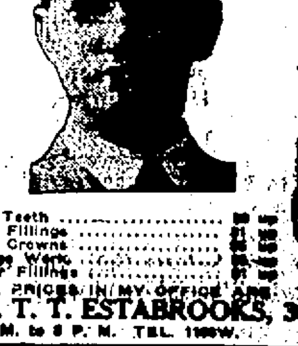

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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, September 22, 1917.

Not Economy Alone.

We find that editorial comment in our issue of the 19th in relation to the general purposes of Food Administrator Hoover in urging the use of corn in place of wheat, and fish instead of meat, is being misunderstood by some of our readers. The fundamental purpose of Mr. Hoover is to make it certain that the men in the trenches shall be properly fed; and he clearly understands that it is equally as essential that the allied workers in munition plants and similar manufacturing enterprices in England, France, Italy and Russia must also be suitably nourished. Mr. Hoover knows that the world wheat and meat supply cannot give to the soldiers and workers abroad the amount they need unless this country diverts some of its wheat consumption to other cereals, and its meat consumption is lessened by the greater use of fish.

It is not, therefore, the present primary purpose of the food administrator to ask the American people to use less wheat and meat simply to save their pockets, but it is his purpose to urge the substitutions for the very life-blood of our boys who are now starting through the training camps for the western front. They must be fed. The fighting men of our allies must be nourished. They will not be fed if America consumes its customary quantity of whaet, beef, pork, dairy products and sugar.

It is, then, clearly the duty of every patriotic man, woman or child to heed most carefully the instructions from the food administration at Washington, and we heartily endorse Mr. Hoover's splendid efforts to carry to success the vast problem which has been placed in his hands for solution.

The apple demonstrations to be made at the agricultural fairs and other meetings under the auspices of the state board of agriculture should be valuable to those New Hampshire farmers who are making apple growing a part of their business. The apple is one of the most valuable fruits in the world and nowhere can a better quality be grown than in New England. It will pay the farmers of this state to post up on the possibilities of this important crop.

The high cost of living does not check the sale of automobiles to any appreciable extent. In this state the receipts of the motor vehicle department show an increase of $82,000 over last year, and even greater increases are shown in some of the other states. To apply an old-time expression to this modern conveyance, the automobile is "in the saddle."

The Harvest Carnival to be held in this city early in October should be a highly interesting and educational event. The arrangements are in the hands of the right kind of men and enthusiasm has not been extinguished by the early frosts. Let everybody lend a hand and make the carnival one of the memorable events of a memorable year in Portsmouth.

The farmers of Rochester are saving money through co-operative buying. And if this can be done in Rochester it can be done in other towns. Co-operation is the order of the day and farmers in many parts of the country have been practicing it successfully for some years. It is high time that those of the Granite State should fall into line and avail themselves of the benefits of united action.

There are those who still contend that cats should be exterminated in order to protect the birds, which by feeding on insects do much toward saving the crops. But what would be gained by raising bigger crops if a considerable part of the increase were to be devoured by rats and mice? There are two sides to this cat question, as to others.

More than seven million tons of coal were shipped from the anthracite mines in August, breaking the record of any other month in the history of the business. It is some relief to know that there is a good supply of coal. Now perhaps after the price regulator has done his work the people of the country will be able to look forward to the coming winter with more composure.

The "Liberty Motor" is believed to be the "last word" in airplane engines. The brainiest inventors of the country have been at work on this machine for some time and the government is confident that it has something which will open the eyes of its great adversary across the water one of these days.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt is able to draw consolation from Maine's vote on the suffrage question, where the proposition was turned down two to one. Her optimism must be of the Kerensky brand.

It beats all how the weather can warm up after the crops have been laid low by frosts.

Russia seems to be in a way to learn that not more than one man in any country can wield "absolute power."

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Safer Than Candles

(From the Pittsburgh Gazette-Times)

It begins to look as though the popular Christmas tree decoration may be Government bonds.

Out of This War

(From the Atlanta Constitution)

The Des Moines Capital, in answer to the question of the unpatriotic ones as to "What we are going to get out of this war," also tells "what we are not going to get out of it;" and among other things—

We are not going to let men come into the United States without some kind of a bond, guaranteeing that they are not going to engage in burning property or in carrying on secret work on behalf of the country they came from.

The point is stressed that "we are going to love every foreigner who really becomes an American;" who, while losing nothing of love and affection for the home-land he has left, stands for real service and loyalty to the country of his adoption. And, best of all—

Out of this war we are going to get a new United States. We are going to hate nobody, but we are going to be prepared to fight whenever necessary.

We are going to have the freest country in the world, but we are not going to allow any traitorous highbrows to set their own standards of freedom by which to convert freedom into treason.

There are a good many other things "we are going to get out of this war." When the soldier boys come home, we are going to have 2,000,000 of patriots who, having fought for the flag, will make good citizens and thorough patriots.

The people of the United States are going to get more out of this war than will be returned to any other country in the world.

And the greatest of these things will be "a new United States," in the strength of a greater union—in the fuller light of that world-liberty for which we serve and sacrifice.

"The freest country in the world,"—that fights to make other countries free; that goes into the battle, not for gain or glory, but for humanity's sake.

In that lies all the glory, which will be shared by all.

And in that lies the meaning of the message of Colonel Robert H. Tyndall, to an Indiana regiment leaving to become a part of the United States fighting forces:

The young man who is fortunate enough to be of military age, and "fit" in mind and body, should consider that to serve his country at this time is a great privilege, and should exercise his right by taking advantage of this opportunity.

And everywhere they are exercising that right—to fight the fight of freedom, if need be, "to the last man!"

An Excuse For More Rest

(From the Portland Oregonian)

One way to save fuel this winter will be to go to bed early. Here's opportunity for the man whose complaint is that he never has had enough sleep.

The Traitor's Chair

(From the Baltimore Star)

Cincinnati has reverted to the old stocks in order to punish those who utter seditious language. The stocks are placed in the centre of the city's largest park and bear in bold lettering: "These are for traitors." Good for the Ohio city.

Hard Winter Ahead for Germany

(From the New York Herald)

There is no real mystery about the peace talk in which the German censorate is permitting the German press to indulge itself. The German Government is at its familiar trick of fooling the German people into thinging it is offering peace terms in order that it may say to them later that by refusing to consider a Kaiser's peace Germany's enemies are responsible for the hardships that another winter of war will bring.

The Kaiser knows he is beaten. He also knows that open and frank acknowledgement of that fact would bring peace, and that peace cannot come until he throws up his hands, crying out the "Kamerade" that means unconditional surrender. The Kaiser, however, is not ignorant of the fact that unconditional surrender would mean the overthrow of Kaiserism for all time. To retain the Hohenzollern grip on the German throne the Kaiser is willing to put the German people to any hardships, any sacrifice.

The hard winter ahead for the German people is a Kaiser's winter.

Too Many Buttons At First

(From the Chicago News)

Efficiency gets a hard blow when it is recalled that the German soldiers marched out three years ago with extra suspender buttons sewed on their trousers to conquer the enemy.

German Propaganda at Home

(From the Syracuse Post-Standard)

It has been a part of German propaganda in America to spread reports of British quitting, French collapse and American disaster. The reports are circulated by word of mouth, since printing them even in German language press, would call for some confirmation. The yarn of the destruction of the American fleet got so well started that the Administration felt it wise to make an explicit denial. It was started by Germans in Mexico.

The latest trick play of the enemy in our midst is a story that an American transport carrying the Twenty-Third and Ninth regiments to France has been sunk. It only got its start on Sunday, but the Post-Standard has received twenty telephone calls a day for two days upon it. The vicious purpose of this fake is obvious. The men in camp are much concerned about their comrades, who may or may not be on the way to France. If the tale were true we doubt if it would damage the morale of the soldiers in training there, but those who fathered the yarn think it would.

The Post-Standard is able to assure those whose fears have been aroused that the story is absolutely untrue.

Prayer For Victory.

(From the Omaha Bee)

The President is authorized by a resolution of Congress to designate a day for prayer for victory by the American people. On such an occasion it will be well for all to recall the remark attributed to Abraham Lincoln: "It is not so important whether God is on our side, but it is important that we be on God's side." Our people may, without hypocrisy and without impiety, ask for aid from on high in the struggle we are now pressing. Measured by any standard known to man, it seems righteous and devoid of selfishness. Americans are making sacrifices, not that material advantage will come to them alone, but that injustice may be checked, that freedom may be restored to other peoples now grievously opposed and that liberty be not banished from the world. Finite judgment is fallible and the measure of right is duration; therefore, we feel justified in the faith we hold in the justice of our cause, for it has under it those principles of right between man and man that have endured through all the ages. As a nation we are asked now to practice that which we have professed to show our trust in God. A day for prayer by the people of America, consecrated by all their traditions to the equality of all men under the common fatherhood of God, will be most appropriate.

Thrifty Preparedness

(From the Portland Oregonian)

Keep a goat on the back lot for family milk; raise rabbits for family meat; keep chickens for family eggs, and, if there be a little room, what's the matter with raising a pig? If the back lot is not big enough, move the house.

Aye, There's the Rub!

(From the New York Herald)

Caesar, as Secretary Lane tells us, took hostages from the beaten Germans to go home and pursue the promise of his day as earnest of their paths of peace. What kind of "hostages" can the world demand of a beaten Germany in these days? Among civilized nations a treaty is enough. But Germany has proclaimed to the world that her treaties are "scraps of paper"—of value to no one but the junkman. The United States and its Allies are not buying junk.

GERMAN REPLY DOES NOT ALTER OUR POSITION

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 22—The replies to Pope Benedict's peace proposal by Germany and Austria contained nothing that might alter the position of the United States nor President Wilson's to the proposal.

PLACE EXPORT DUTY ON FIBER

(Special to The Herald)

Mexico City, Sept. 22—Beginning Sept. 15 the export duty on sisal fibre one of the principal products of Yucatan was fixed at 5 per cent of the price paid for fibre in foreign markets. The secretary of finance will fix the average sales price of the fibre which shall be considered for taxing purposes each two months basing his figures on the quotations in the foreign markets.

CITY BRIEFS

John Foden is enjoying a vacation from his duties at the navy yard and has been visiting in Haverhill, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Poppe have returned from a very pleasant automobile trip to Jackson and other places in the White Mountain region.

Daniel N. Whittaker of Franklin, Past Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of New Hampshire, was a visitor here on Friday.

Postmaster William M. Knowles and wife of Brewster, Mass., who have been passing two weeks with Mrs. Florence G. Cummings at Marshview, return home on Sunday.

CONCERT PROGRAM.

The following concert program will be rendered by Wilson's orchestra, Tuesday evening:

March, "The Americano".....Burhoe
Overture, "The Beautiful Galatea"....Gauthier
Xylophone solo, "Le Secret".....
Mr. H. Burton Burhoe.
Saxaphone solo, "Selected".....
Mr. A. N. Leville.
Quartet, "The Rosary".....Nevin
Piano solo, "Selected" .....
Mr. F. P. Byrne.
Cornet solo, "I Hear You Calling Me"..Marshall
Mr. C. W. Lindskog.
Selection, "Oh Boy".....Kern
Finale, "U. S. Cavalry Band"
H. Burton Burhoe, director.

MISSING MAN SHOWS UP AT WAR BOARD

O'Leary No Slacker and Wants to Fight; No Exemption in Hoyt Case.

One of the long lost men, Owen M. O'Leary, who the local war board has been looking for for several days arrived here on Friday, having been directed to report by the adjutant general of the state. O'Leary was recorded among the dodgers and his name was forwarded with the other missing registrants to the attorney general.

However, O'Leary is no slacker, and a combination of circumstances, especially his failure to get mail and telegrams made it look that way to the board. He told the war board that he tried to get in the army in Massachusetts and other places but the loss of a toe blocked him. O'Leary has served in the Canadian army and has seen foreign service since the war. His failure to get mail caused him to report at Albany, N. Y., and in turn was ordered to report at Concord which he did and was sent back here where the local board will make examination on Monday next. He is now working in this city and had quite a bit of history that amused the war board.

He says he is willing to go against the Kaiser's bunch again and hopes he can get by in New Hampshire for service.

The district board has upheld the local board in the cases of Willis Hadley Hoyt of Newington, now of North Attleboro, Mass. Hoyt claimed exemption on the ground of being a married man, but the war board would not allow his request owing to the fact that he was married since June 5. He then claimed that he should be exempt on the ground that he was agricultural agent for North Attlebore but the board refused to consider that part of it and the district board has certified him in the national army.

The board was much gratified to learn today that the first 18 men sent from this district on Friday passed the physical examination with flying colors at Camp Devens. They were recorded as some of the best young blood to be sent to the camp from any section of the country.

TWO AIRMEN RECIPIENTS OF MILITARY CROSS

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 22—The latest lists of recipients of the military cross includes two British airmen, one of whom accounted for five German planes in a single day and the other for seven.

The award to Captain Anthony Wall is accompanied by the following explanation:

"By his initiative and skilful manoeuvering he led six hostile machines into an encounter with our own formation, during which five were destroyed. He had been equally successful the day before in misleading hostile aircraft."

The award to Captain Brian Baker says: "He led his patrol with great skill against a hostile formation, accounting for five enemy machines. Later he drove another hostile machine down in flames and destroyed another by diving 7000 feet onto it and firing at such close range as to nearly collide with it."

CONSIDERABLE GOLD IN PRIVATE HANDS IN FRANCE

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Sept. 22—Receipts of the bank of France show there is still a considerable amount of gold in private hands in France. It is coming out at present at the rate of about 2,000,000 francs a week.

In searching the residence of a recently interned Austrian subject at Nice the other day the police found 12,000 francs in gold coins of several different countries. This gold was then turned over to the bank of France, while more than 1,000,000 francs worth of securities were put under seal.

FASHIONABLE AUDIENCE IS GIVEN SURPRISE

(Special to The Herald)

London, Sept. 22—An American surprise was sprung on the fashionable audience at the opening of the annual series of so-called "Popular Concerts" which for a generation have been a weekly feature of the musical season in London. The soloist of the afternoon was Miss Carrie Tubb, perhaps the most popular of native English prima-donnas. In response to the customary demand for an encore she sang with splendid dramatic effect "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

When the first notes of the piano accompaniment tickled out there were some smiles among the audience who knew the air principally as used by the Salvation Army to carry a religious song in its open air meetings. But the intense fervor of the singer swept all before her and the song was heard in breathless silence and hailed with enthusiastic applause.

ELIOT

Eliot, Sept. 22.—Services for the Congregational church, Sunday, Sept. 23—Rev. D. T. Conlan, pastor; 10.45, worship and preaching; choir and congregational singing; sermon subject, "Fools Compared"; 12.10, Sunday school, Mr. Livermore, superintendent; 7.30, evening service, praise, worship, evangelistic; short address, "Behold." All are cordially welcome.

Mrs. Helen Johnson of Love lane, Kittery, was a visitor in Eliot on Friday.

The Ladies' Aid of the So. Eliot Methodist church enjoyed a fish chowder and picnic dinner Thursday at the home of Mrs. Winn and Miss Adeline Paul.

Many were disappointed Wednesday evening on arriving at the hall to find Mr. Carl Behr among the missing. The concert was indefinitely postponed.

Mrs. Cyrus Bartlett visited relatives in North Kittery on Friday.

The Eliot W. C. T. U. met with the president, Mrs. William Fernald, Friday afternoon. It was the first meeting after a month's vacation.

Next Monday night will be gentlemen's night at the John F. Hill Grange. It is expected the men folks will attend in good numbers and also furnish interesting numbers on the program.

On Wednesday evening, the 26th, the members of the Grange will give an entertainment. One half the proceeds will be donated for the Eliot soldier boys who are to go to the front. This is surely a worthy object and the Eliot people we know will show a patriotic and helping spirit toward the boys who are to go to war. Admission 25c; children 15c.

Services at the South Eliot Advent Christian church for Sunday will be as follows: Sunday school at 1.15; preaching services at 2.30 and 7.30, by Rev. Charles L. Smith from Presque Isle. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Fred Shapleigh has been the guest of relatives in Boston for a few days.

Mr. John Staples has purchased the Shorey house near Eliot Depot.

NAVY NOTES

Sent From the Local Camp

Four hundred men from the local yard training camp left on a special train on Friday for another station. The same number are expected to arrive here from Newport to begin a training period.

Says Men Are Loyal

The secretary of the navy has received a telegram from the commandant of the Mare Island navy yard at San Francisco, reporting that work was progressing efficiently without regard to unsettled labor conditions in the vicinity. The commandant added that all employes of the Mare Island navy yard are loyal.

Southery Being Made Ready

The U. S. S. Southery is being made ready for use as a training ship for prisoners. A number of men will be transferred from the prison.

More Prisoners Arrive

Some thirty prisoners arrived on Friday and were received by Superintendent Osborne.

Changes Talk.

It is understood that the marine guard doing duty at the naval prison and quartered there will be transferred to the yard barracks and the room utilized for prisoners. The guard will report to the prison as needed for duty. The change is said to be made necessary by the increased number of prisoners which has reached the 700 mark.

Many Waiting.

One hundred and fifty men of the navy at New York and one hundred at Philadelphia are waiting action of the court martial boards at those stations.

Landing in Use Again.

The work on the ferry float on Daniel street has been completed and the yard ferry is now landing there on the regular trips.

Long Day of It

The half holiday for the navy yard employes is off until next year. Today proved a long one for the men who have been working but half Saturday since July.

Big Pay Day

Today was pay day for the mechanics and laborers of the local yard and many envelopes were extra large owing to much extra work.

New Schedule on Monday

The new pay schedule for the workmen at the local yard has been posted and will go in effect on Monday next.

The boys who joined the big national army in training at Ayer, from this city, will certainly have good cause to remember that they came from the Portsmouth district.

NECESSARY TO USE A HARNESS TO PULL MEN OUT

General Maurice Says Flanders Mud is More Persistent Than the Germans as an Enemy.

(By Associated Press)

London, Sept. 22—Major General Frederick Maurice, director of military operations at the postoffice, who has just returned from one of his frequent trips to the front in France, was asked by the Associated Press correspondent what phase of battle-front activity on this occasion had impressed him most.

"Always the same thing—the mud," he replied. "It is the most remarkable mud in the world. As an enemy it is more persistent than the German and more deadly than the artillery.

"I had a remarkable object lesson of the power of the Flanders mud. I visited a hospital where they had two of our men who had been rescued after spending three hours in the grip of a Flanders mud hole and found themselves inextricably in the clutches of the thick mud at the bottom. When they were found they had been there for 30 hours and had been drawn waist deep into the clay.

"All sorts of expedients were tried to extricate them and it was finally deemed necessary to fit a harness to them and pull them out with a team of mules. Both men had their hips and knees dislocated in the process. That is Flanders mud."

PREPARATIONS FOR 2300 MORE MEN AT AYER

(By Associated Press)

Camp Devens, Ayer, Ma, Spt. 22—Preparations were made early this morning to receive 2300 men that would report to the cantonment from upper New York state.

Tomorrow the men from Boston and other Massachusetts cities will arrive at the camp. With the arrival of the men tomorrow, the forty percent that has been arriving during the week will be complete.

HEAVY FIGHTING IN THE SECTION OF THE TOWER

(By Associated Press)

British Headquarters in France and Belgium, Sept. 22.—Heavy fighting is in progress in the region of Tower and the surrounding towns. This section has been the scene of almost continuous action for the past month.

On the left section of the British line the report has been received that the line is intact. No report has been received from the right section, though it is stated that heavy repulses have been made in both directions.

ENCOURAGE PLANTING CORN IN MEXICO

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City, Sept. 22—The work of encouraging the planting of corn in Mexico and the increase of the corn crop has been placed in the hands of Zeferino Dominguez. He is quoted as saying that Mexico must abandon all idea of importing corn from the United States and must grow sufficient for her own needs, and that Mexico should be the greatest producer of corn in the world.

The Portsmouth Herald publishes the local news when it is news.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—Stylish coupe, Concord built; has light gray upholstery, paint in good condition; new rubber tires; shaft and pole; cost $700; price for quick sale at $85. Also phaeton in equally good condition, cost $300, will sell for $35. W. P. Frink, Greenland, he s22.

FOR SALE—New and remodeled furniture at less than half regular prices. Cook stoves $10 up; parlor stoves $2.50 up; brass tipped iron beds, $3.75; mattresses, S. H., $1.50; new mattresses, $3.50; dropside couch beds, $3.75; dressers, $5 up; commodes, $1.50 up; gas radiators, $2.75; new chiffoneres, $5.95; National bed springs, $3.75; W. S. springs, $1.50; chairs 50c up. The "Kemp" Furniture Store, 99 Penhallow street. he s22,tf

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UNITED STATES AS A STRONG MILITARY POWER

Tokio, Sept. 21—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—That the rise of the United States as a strong military and naval power will sound the death-knell of the Anglo-Japanese alliance for which a practical alliance between Great Britain and the United States will be substituted is the opinion expressed by Ryosuke Shimatani, in the current number of Shin Nippon. Dr. Shimatani is a well-known publicist.

Dr. Shimatani contends that commercial considerations will bring about the end of Japan's alliance with Britain, Spinning and shipping, including shipbuilding, he asserts, constitutes the great elements in British industry and Japan's future prosperity depends upon her progress in those lines. Japan, indeed, was encroaching on British fields.

It is not to be denied, he writes, that Australia, New Zealand and other British possessions east of India are being threatened strategically by the growing influence which Japan possesses. This has been demonstrated in a most emphatic manner since the outbreak of the war.

The British colonies, he declares, have begun to feel uneasiness for the natural pressure of Japan's growing military power. Australia has started to build an independent navy of its own while New Zealand, has contributed warships to the home country. Britain's fear of Japan, strange to say, he points out, is growing more and more marked during the progress of the present war, though Japan is proving herself the most loyal friend to her ally.

The immigration problem, which must some day be settled will be another reason for the drawing together of the United States and Great Britain in the opinion of Dr. Shimatani. He foresees the day when the people of Japan, China and India, prejudically treated by the Anglo-Saxons, will become cemented into a defensive union and form a league for the defense of their rights. To his mind the pressure of the Anglo-Saxons cannot fail to bring about eventually a spiritual alliance of the Oriental races. At the same time it will draw closer the bonds of intimacy between England and the United States.

He concludes: "In short when America's navy and army programs shall have been carried out, it will be the time for Britain to replace the Anglo-Japanese Alliance by an Anglo-American reapprochement, and the guarding of Australia and New Zealand will thenceforth be effected by the American navy, not by the Japenese navy. Then it is that the Anglo-Japanese Alliance will be thrown aside, as a fan would when the hot weather is passed."

The enrollments of scholars in the public schools has steadily increased and on Friday it had exceeded by a good number the largest registration in the history of the schools and still more coming. The Parochial school also showed a considerable increase in the enrollment and the total enrollment of scholars in this city will be close to 2700. This is about the proportion that is looked for in a city of 15,000 population.

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ARRAIGNED IN FEDERAL COURT

Charges of Being Bootleggers and Slackers Figure Prominently.

Concord, Sept. 22—Charges of being bootleggers or slackers were entered against a majority of the prisoners indicted by the federal grand jury to Littleton this week, who were arraigned before Judge Edgar Aldrich in the United States district court here yesterday. Fines were ordered to be paid by six of the bootleggers who pleaded guilty to giving liquor to soldiers or sailors and other cases being continued or referred to the military authorities.

John Reid, the Colebrook editor, charged with failure to register, entered a plea of not guilty, and his case was continued to the October term in Portsmouth. His bail of $800 was continued in force.

William T. Ward of Concord, charged with concealing in assets in bankruptcy proceedings, was sentenced to 15 days in jail. Henry Robinson and Senator Nathaniel E. Martin his counsel, told the court the offense was due to ignorance of the law.

Mr. Robinson also represented Henry W. Robinson, postmaster of Tamworth charged with embezzlement. Attorney Robinson told the court restitution would be made and the case was continued to the October term.

Fines of $100 each for giving liquor to soldiers and sailors were imposed upon Omar Tracy of Manchester, arrested in this city, William Scanlon, Walter Goodwin and Fred Bruce of Portsmouth and Bert O'Leary of Concord. Charles J. Smith of Portsmouth was fined $25 and costs not to exceed $25 for a similar offense. Judge E. L. Guptill of Portsmouth appeared for Smith.

Continuances were granted in the cases against Ralph Manson, Sal Allisi and Henry Spinney who were represented by John L. Mitchell and Ralph C. Gray of Portsmouth. The cases of Henry Graber and Thomas J. Landon, sailors, charged with furnishing liquor to fellow sailors were referred to the military authorities.

ARMY CAMP WITHOUT RIFLES

Camp Devens, Ayer, Sept. 21.—Within the course of the next thirty days there will be encamped at this place an army of 37,000 men without an arm; a mobilization of almost 40,000 gunmen without a gun, a fighting army division without a rifle or a trigger to pull save the few in the possession of the comparatively few already trained soldiers doing guard and other duty.

But there is nothing sensational, alarming or even unusual about this, judged by the statement of Lieutenant Colonel D. M. Dalton, division quartermaster. In the first place, the training to be undertaken by this, as well as every other branch of the new draft army, does not call for the use of rifles in its primary stages. Under the old army tactics and requirements this was true, but it is more so with the requirements of modern warfare. Field manoeuvres and formations, marching movements and trench deporiment are among the many new and all important branches of learning along the lines of which the new army must be perfected before the rifles and the other kinds of guns, big and little, come into play. Then, it is pointed out, latter perfect in the technicalities of warfare from its strategic standpoint, the men will know what to do with guns when they get them; and what they do not know about their use will come easy in the teaching because of what they have already learned along other lines.

An Army Without Guns.

As a matter of fact it is probably true that these soldiers will leave for the fields of France without a rifle among them, for it is understood to be the plan to furnish the arms after they set foot on foreign soil. It is also true that the Camp Devens soldiers will later on be provided with enough rifles to do what arm training is regularly required by the military manual, and these, Colonel Dalton asserts, are already provided for by the Government. But for the present and for some time to come the Ayer army is one without guns. It is a contingency that seems strange and savors of unpreparedness to all except those who know the most about the requirements.

Colonel Dalton is authority for the further statement that shelter, sustenance and proper clothing is assured for the present cantonment throughout its duration. From twenty to fifty carloads of supplies are arriving and being cared for at the camp railroad sidings every twenty-four hours, and while, Colonel Dalton says, there may be a momentary shortage of some particular requirement, owing to traffic delay, miscalculation on the part of the concerns contracting to furnish the supply in question, or because of a hundred and one other unforeseen and unavoidable contingencies, the supply system is on the whole progressing with satisfaction to all concerned.

Why Clothing Was Delayed

Take, for instance, the item of clothing for the soldiers. Under ordinary requirements it all comes from the two military supply depots, one at Philadelphia and one at Jeffersonville, Ind., but in the present emergency hundreds of manufacturing concerns throughout the country have contracted to furnish the articles necessary to the instant uniforming of the vast army that is being raised. In the main they are responding to the call and living up to the terms of their contracts both as to quantity, quality and time of delivery with uniform promptness and accuracy, but there are some articles which no human agency can furnish without more or less delay. Among these are articles of woolen clothing required by the army. The raw material had to be gathered, transported from all the points of the compass; it had to be sorted, graded and manufactured according to the prophecied requirements and then reshipped for final distribution to the various cantonments, all of which took time and was subject to disappointments and exasperating delays.

But because Camp Devens was the first cantonment in the whole country to be in readiness for its share of these goods it was among the first to receive its proportionate share of the first delivery and is consequently in the best shape and suffering the least inconvenience from the non-receipt of needed clothing of any camp in the United States.

"We have not yet received all we shall require, no tby any means," said Colonel Dalton, "but we have an assuring supply on hand, enough to meet our requirements as they accrue and our plans are so made that we shall get the rest well ahead of the time when we shall need it.

"The whole story of the shortage of warm clothing for the men of this camp was started by the minor discomfort of a few unseasonably cold nights the first of the month which was an occurrence that no one could have forestalled or bounted upon and it is safe to assume that if the men of this camp or those of any other do not suffer any more hardships than ours did on that occasion they will be the luckiest body of soldiers on earth."

Keep Supplies "Ahead of the Game."

Noted on the daily report of supplies on hand which Colonel Dalton receives every morning, yesterday was the item of 42,000 pairs of woolen socks, 56,000 suits of underwear and many similar items of a size well calculated to stagger the credulity of the ordinary family man. By tomorrow night there may not be an extra pair of socks in the camp commissary and on the other hand, there may be 60,000 more pairs received during the day. The plan maintained is to keep well "ahead of the game" and this, Colonel Dalton asserts, is being and will be done to the finish.

The same is true with regard to food supplies. Yesterday's commissary report showed that there were on hand 252,000 pounds of sugar, 70,000 pounds of bacon and 1,200,000 pounds of flour. Day before yesterday's list registered more than 100,000 pounds of bacon which goes to show that no bacon had arrived during the interim.

"More may be at the siding now waiting to be unloaded," said Colonel Dalton, "and if it is not it will be before the 76,000 pounds on hand is exhausted. And even if it isn't we can go without bacon for a day and not be injured for there are substitutes in plenty.

"In short, the camp is all right from every department of the supply point of view and there is no reason to think that it will not remain so."

NEW KIND OF MOTOR SHOW

Boston is to have a new kind of Motor show. It is to be known as Closed Car Week and it will open October 6, and run until October 13.

Instead of being located in one building, all of the motor car salesroom, supply and accesosry dealers, will dress up their stores in gaudy attire, exhibit the very latest styles of enclosed cars and new models of touring and roadster types. It will sort of be a gala week ofr the trade, with street decorations, music, and a variety of luncheons and entertainment which will bring in thousands of visitors to the Hub ad serve as an educational feature to the closed car trade.

More and more Winter motoring is increasing. In fact the growth has been so great that the dealers have awakened to the fact that a Closed Car Show is necessary. The enclosed car now offered by the trade, makes it possible to motor in somfort under the most severe weather conditions. These devices which add to the snugness and luxury of winter motoring are incorporated in the low priced closed car as well as in miladys limousine that is as dainty as the corner in her boudoir. There will be sedan, cabriolets, landaulets and other toneing types, that, in a few minutes, can be transformed into a closed type.

At the time the Closed Car Week is on, the up-to-the-minute styles in tourin gand roadster models will be on the floors of the Boston and New England distributors Salesroo ms. This will be the publics first opportunity to look over these new models. So the Closed Car Week will offer a double advantage to the motor trade.

It will be a big week for the industry. Every factory will send its big officials to the hub and agents from every section of New England will be here and aside from the business end, there will be many social gatherings such as make show time in the spring so important to the industry in general.

The high school foot ball team is to have the best coaching they have had for years. The Athletic Association which started the school with a deficit are to issue season tickets and it is right and proper that everybody who has any interest at all in the school should take at least one ticket. A little better support of the school sports would be in keeping with this city's generosity along other lines.

RISK ARREST AS DESERTERS

Cases of 319 Enrolled Men Failing to Report for Examination.

Concord, Sept. 22—Adjutant General Howard has certified to the adjutant general of the United States army at Washington 319 men, who were enrolled, but failed to present themselves to the local boards for the physical examinations. Notices were sent to the men by General Howard to proceed to the mobilization camp at Ayer for examination, but only a few have done so.

Those who have not gone to Ayer within five days from the time the notice was sent out by General Howard, technically are deserters, and in time their names will be sent to the United States district attorneys, with instructions to have them arrested as deserters.

One man enrolled at Portsmouth, called at General Howard's office on Friday morning, seeking to collect transportation at the rate of four cents a mile from Albany. He said he was stranded in New York city and had to beat his way on freights, riding to Springfield, Mass., thence to White River Junction, thence to Concord. Somebody told him the government would allow him four cents a mile and he expected to get enough to pay his fare to Portsmouth to take the examination.

General Howard told him he could not furnish the transportation, but advised him to get to Portsmouth for the examination. The man left, saying he was going to make Portsmouth "blind baggage."

RAILROAD NOTES

T. J. Sullivan of Waltham, formerly of the Middlesex and Boston Electric railway has taken the position of conductor on the Portsmouth Street railway.

Several officials of the Boston and Maine visited the Newington shipbuilding plant this week and the visit is said to have been in connection with a train service from this city requested by the shipbuilders for the accomodation of workmen.

"You're In Love" company occupied special cars on the 8.45 train this morning over the Southern division of the Boston and Maine from this city to Manchester.

Considerable new steel is being laid by the Portsmouth section crew east of the depot near Vaughan street.

The additional train service on the Portsmouth and Dover branch to accomodate the workmen at the shipbuilding plant is not expected to be put on until the general winter schedule is put in operation on September 23.

It became known Wednesday that there was still dissatisfaction at the Concord railroad shops among the smaller paid men, laborers and others who are not affiliated with any of the shop crafts. These men struck with the tradesmen, it being understood that they would be taken care of but they claim they received none of the benefits which they say are due them. A committee was sent to Boston to look into the matter and if an agreement cannot be reached another strike is threatened. Some of the men, it is claimed, received two cents an hour additional instead of the five which they expected, while others received nothing.

NORTH KITTERY

North Kittery, Sept. 22.—The Peoples' Society will hold services Sunday, Sept. 23, in the new building. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Herbert W. Brooks. Morning worship with sermon at 10.45. Text: St. Luke 22:27, "I am among you as he that serveth." Evening service at 7.30; Sunday school directly following the morning service. At the close of Sunday school there will be a rehearsal for the Rally Day program. Next Sunday there will be no morning service, but instead the annual Sunday school rally day program will occupy the time. During the last two Sundays fifteen new members received their membership certificates and have been assigned to their classes. This brings the membership of the Sunday school, as registered, to forty-seven, with a few more to come in Sunday. It is hoped that enough will come in to the school rally day to bring the number to one hundred, and the superintendent assisted by an efficient corps of officers and teachers are working towards that end. The classes are divided in such a way that only a few are under one teacher, that all may secure individual attention. Visitors are welcome to the church and Sunday school at all times.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Pettigrew of North Kittery drove to Dover today where they will spend the week-end with Mr. Dennis A. Johnson, Mrs. Pettigrew's father.

Mrs. Emily S. Pierce of North Kittery has purchased a new automobile.

Mrs. Henry H. Bradford of Lewiston, Me., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Perley S. Chick of North Kittery.

The crew at the rendering plant of the Agricultural and Chemical Co., on the upper river is being increased and building operations will begin soon.

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That is the situation as it stands today. The other cars have had to advance their prices so much that it has entirely readjusted the basis of values as they were known only a few weeks ago. It has brought former cheaper cars up to about the Hudson price. It has advanced higher-priced cars than the Hudson so much that the difference between them is now $500 to $1000 greater. So far 51 makes have been advanced in price. The advances range from $100 to $700 according to make and model.

The Hudson has so far escaped the necessity for advancing its price. That is due to a fortunate turn in affairs which finds the Hudson factory supplied with a quantity of parts that were bought last year before material prices had shot up to their present unequaled heights. The other companies exhausted their supplies in the spring and had to enter the market when it was at its highest.

The Hudson prices can't stand long. Soon they, too, must advance. But the situation it offers is unique. It is a great opportunity for those who take advantage of it.

You must already know a lot about the Hudson Super-Six. There are so many in use that wherever you go you will meet Super-Six owners. Ask them if you want to know what kind of a car it is. You will find it is the car which everyone admits is the greatest performer. It is the one that has full rights on the road if its driver cares to exercise those rights. You will find it is the car that meets every abuse that the hardest driver gives it and still it seems never to be out of condition.

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PORTO RICO WILL FURNISH 12,854 MEN

(By Associated Press)

San Juan Porto Rico, Sept. 22—Porto Rico's quota for the national army will be 12,854 in stead of 7,000 men as originally announced, according to Lieut. Colonel Townshend, in command of the District of Porto Rico, who has just received instructions from Washington to this effect. Whether the total number will be called at one time or whether they will be drawn at different intervals is not yet known here. However, plans for the building of a cantonment to accomodate 7,000 men have not yet been changed.

TO SAVE WHITTIER HOUSE.

Amesbury, Sept. 21.—The Whittier Home Association, which for years has been gathering funds to erect a monument for John Greenleaf Whittier, the poet, in Amesbury, has changed its plan since it was announced that the home of the poet on Friend street had been placed on the market by its owner, Greenleaf Whittier Pickford, grand nephew of the poet. An effort will now be made to buy this historic home as a memorial.

The association has been given an option on the property until Oct. 1. It has plans for restoring the home to a permanent memorial. This old house stands as the Whittiers occupied it. The garden room, used by Whittier as a workroom in his declining years, is almost unchanged. His easy chair stands by his favorite window, near his bookcase, his writing desk with its papers and the open grate Franklin stove, around whose driftwood fires James Russell Lowell and Bayard Taylor used to sit. Even the pictures on the wall are undisturbed.

The poet came to the house in 1863, after the East Haverhill home was sold, in order that the Whittiers might be near the Friends' meeting house.

Many offers have been made by collectors for the original manuscripts, the autograph books, letters and pictures which make the old house so valuable, but it was decided some time ago that the collections should go with the house.

The gardens will be restored if the property is purchased by the Association. There will also be a tea room and gift shop for visitors in one of the lower rooms of the house. The garden room will be restored even more carefully to its exact furnishings of Whittier's choosing. In the closet will be hung his personal belongings, his Quaker coat and hats, his stout oaken cane and high boots.

Mrs. Emily B. Smith, a public-spirited Amesbury woman, is president of the Whittier Association. Others on the board in charge of the memorial fund are Mrs. Abby J. Fielden, Mrs. John Hume, Mrs. A. N. Parry, Miss Alice Brown, Mrs. John H. Howarth, Miss Emma C. Wolfenden and Mrs. William E. Biddle.

UNITED STATES LEADS IN TRADE WITH BALKANS

(By Associated Press)

Athens, Sept. 22—Because of the war, the trade of the United States with the Balkans heads that of all the countries of the world, while the trade of England, France and other countries which used to supply the Balkans, is steadily falling off. This resulted for the first time last year, when the United States sent 400,000 tons of supplies to Greece alone, England coming next with 175,000 tons and France and Italy falling off to 12,000 tons each.

This was chiefly wheat and foodstuffs of which America had plenty and the European nations could spare none. The American increase of trade about five fold over the pro-war conditions, the goods from America being worth last year $14,200,000 as against $2,600,000 before the war.

TO FIGHT WHITE PINE BLIGHT

(By Associated Press)

Augusta, Me., Sept. 21.—An embargo order designed to assist in the suppression of the white pine blight, was announced by Forrest Colby of Bingham, the state forester. This forbids the bringing into the state any gooseberries or current bushes, for it has been found that these two bushes create or carry the fungus, which is causing such great losses in the white pine belt.

TO FEED 2,300,000.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Plans for feeding the nation's 2,300,000 fighting men when they are under arms, were discussed yesterday by War Department officials and the Food Administration. A permanent committee representing the two Government branches will be appointed to coordinate the work. It was the unanimous opinion of those attending the conference that, difficult as it will be to maintain the subsistence of the huge American army with efficiency under present market conditions and stringency of food supplies, success is certain with the cooperation of all departments directly or indirectly related to the problem.

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GERMANY AND AUSTRIA HOPE FOR PEACE

In Their Reply to Pope Benedict's Peace Note They Expressed a Hope That He Succeed. British Hold All Gains Into German Lines. Berlin Admits Loses

(By Associated Press)

The reply to the Peace Note of Pope Benedict by Germany and Austria, expresses the hope that the Pope's efforts will be successful in bringing about a cessation of hostilities. Emperor William expresses a hope that peace will be brought about. The two notes to the Pope were made public almost at once this evening and they both are very similar in thought. That of the Emperor William was written by the foreign office while that of Austria took the form of a personal note from Emperor Charles.

Emperor Charles expresses a wish that the initiative for peace on the part of the Pope will result in the bringing about the end of the war and an understanding between the belligerents, so that the future peace of the world may be secured with the freedom of the sea and that justice will prevail. The German reply designates the Pope's peace plan as a most emphatic peace appeal which they hope will be successful.

Meanwhile the opposing armies from the North Sea to Switzerland on the western front and from the Baltic to the sea on the east, and along the Austro-Italian front, are waging a most bitter struggle. On all fronts with the exception the northern end of the western front there has not been must activity.

Field Marshal Haig, the British commander-in-chief has completed his late success in the Ypres sector and the British troops have been able to consolidate all of their gains made Thursday and to repel all German counter attacks.

Berlin officially admits that the British attack was successful and that the Germans have been compelled after bitter fighting to evacuate several valuable points on the Ypres-Menin road.

All reports emphasize the success of the British attack, they hold Veldhoek, Zevenkote and numerous important points which had been heavily fortified by the Germans. Efforts at counter attacks made by the Germans resulted in such heavy casualties from the British artillery which literally wiped out of existence great masses of German troops, compelled the Germans to give up their attempt to regain the lost territory.

The German Crown Prince on the southern end of the line at Mont Haut in Champaign and at Verdun has met with heavy losses in his unsuccessful attacks.

No marked activity has been reported from the eastern front. Gen. Alexises the new chief of staff, has resigned. Difference with Premier Kerensky over the Korniloff revolt is said to be the cause of the resignation.

The Italians and Austrians are evidently taking a rest, although at Cima Sies in the Dolonite Alps the Italians gained considerable ground but were forced to give it up later for lack of shelter.

The Argentine Chamber of Deputies have postponed until Saturday the final consideration of the relations with Germany. The Foreign Minister has announced that he has information just received that may require that Argentine declare war on Germany.

MUST NOT DICTATE PUBLIC WANTS

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Mass., Sept. 21.—The public service commission of Massachusetts tonight declared that the recent order of the New England Telephone Company not to extend services except in emergency cases, is unjustified and that it is an attempt to tell the individual what is best for him, not what he wants or requires.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

John W. A. Green, Register.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Auburn.—Benjamin L. Covey to Albert Pelletier, land, $1.—John P. Griffin to Charles N. Stuber, land, $1.—Lida M. Marsh, Manchester, to Ernest B. Haselton, land and buildings, $1.

Brentwood.—Mary A. Weeks to Emma M. Dominque, Haverhill, land and buildings, $1.

Hampton.—Hampton Beach Improvement Company to John J. Dineen, Lawrence, Mass., land, $1.—Last grantee to last grantor, land, $1.

Londonderry.—Administrator of estate of Lyman Dickey to Frank N. Young, Derry, land, $1,000.

Newmarket.—Millie B. Cheswell, Cambridge, Mass., to Horace C. Osgood, North Andover, Mass., et als, rights in certain premises, $1.

Newton.—George L. Williams, Haverhill to Everett E. Coombs, land, $700.

Northwood.—Hattie J.R. Evans, Derry, to John Drake, land, $1.

Portsmouth.—Maria R. F. Marcello to Emma F. Lindsey, land and wharf on Ceres Street, $1.—Eunice E. Garland to Eugene H. and Blanche E. Call, land and buildings on Vaughan Street, $1.—Kate A. Martin et als, to Hiram B. Merryfield, land and buildings, corner Bridge and High Streets, $1.—Milton Karlpee to Frank Caccia-tore, land and buildings on Hanover Street, $1.—Albert Smith to Chauncey E. Brown, land and buildings on Melbourne Street, $1.

Raymond.—Christine R. Reed, Waverly, Mass., to John Kean, St. Louis, land and buildings, $500.—Last grantee to John Kean, Jr., land, $1.

Seabrook.—John N. Perkins, Haverhill, to Thomas Perkins, Salisbury, land and buildings, $1.

Windham.—Edward C. Marshall to Charles A. Goodwin, both of Pelham, land, $1.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Mark H. Wentworth Home acknowledges receipt of three hundred sixty-seven dollars and forty-seven cents from Elmer J. Burnham, Executor of the will of Sarah A. Locke, late of Kittery, Maine.

This fund will be available for general purposes of the Home.

H. E. BOYNTON,
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WILL PLAY TEAM MATCH AT HAVERHILL.

The annual golf team match between the Island Pond Golf Club of Haverhill and the Portsmouth Country Club will be held either Thursday or Friday of next week at the Haverhill course.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Portsmouth who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Portsmouth woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Portsmouth resident can doubt.

Mrs. John Smart, 172 Gates St., Portsmouth, says: "About nine years ago I first began to suffer from kidney complaint. I had sharp pains through the small of my back which at times changed to a dull, grinding ache. Whenever I exerted myself in any way the pains were more severe. I was tired all the time, lacked ambition and in the morning always felt worse. Having reason to believe these symptoms were caused by my kidneys, I tried various kidney medicines, but without getting the least benefit until I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Philbrick's Pharmacy. Judging from the results they have already given I am convinced that they will eventually cure me." (Statement given June 27, 1911).

On October 21, 1915, Mrs. Smart said: "I can still continue to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills very highly. They have given me permanent benefit."

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FEAR THAT BULGARIA WILL BREAK AWAY

London, Sept. 21.—A dispatch from Berne, Switzerland, received today by the British admiralty through the Wireless Press, says:

Emperor William has passed through Budapest, Hungary, on his way to Sofia, the Bulgarian capital. It is believed to be the Emperor's intention to try to smooth over difficulties which have arisen between Bulgaria and Germany.

"Germany and Austria have demanded military aid, which Bulgaria has refused. On the other hand, Bulgaria has asked similar aid, which the central powers have refused."

MARKETING SUGGESTIONS FOR CANNING CLUBS

Members of the Organizations Should Make Careful Arangements for Dising of Products if Operations are to be Renumerative, Says the United States Department of Agriculture

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—Close attention to marketing problems should be given by members of boys' and girls' canning clubs, now that the products of these organizations are being turned out in considerable proportions, says specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Unless steps are taken to bring about the disposil of the canned goods in a well-ordered and practical way, it is pointed out, there is likelihood that the operations of the clubs will not be remunerative. The specialists offer suggestions for the solution of marketing problems facing the clubs in a publication, "The Marketing of Canning Club Products," recently issued as Markets Documents No. 5.

One of the first esentials to satisfactory marketing arangements, says the specialists, is standardized products. Standardization should be brought to the point where cans or jars of a given fruit or vegetable put up by the different members of the clubs are uniform in pack, appearance, quality, and condition. Every container which is fully up to the standard represented by the label or brand will then be an advertisement in itself and often a guarantee of further purchases.

Specialties

In preparin gthe products which are to be sold, it is well also to put up a large quantity of specialties in comparison with the quantity of plain canned goods, such as tomatoes, since there will then be less competition with commercial goods.

Having asured the quality of their products, the clubs should then make an informal survey of the conditions in their community to ascertain the consuming capacity of the community served by retailers, the quantity of the various kinds of products handled by the retailers, the sources from which they obtain their supplies, the prices they pay, the prices at which they sell, and their attitude toward the handling of club products in the place of some of their commercial products. Such a survey, as the club work is organized at present, may well be based on the county unit, the work being divided among the various clubs of the county. When a survey is being made the merchants should be acquainted with the products in which the clubs are specializing.

Advertising

The next step in developing the market is advertising the products to the consumer. A number of methods have been found useful by various clubs. These include the maintenance of permanent exhibits of canned goods at easily accessible places; the placing of temporary exhibits in various stores, at fairs, etc., the use in local newspapers of news stories and display advertising; and the securing of the co-operation o fthe local housewives who will ask the storekeepers for the club products. Where it is esential to incur expense in advertising, one of the best ways to make up the necessary fund is to have each club member contribute one or more containers of products each year.

The club marketing plans developed in North Carolina call for a committee of club members in each community which canvasses housewives for orders and delivers through their grocers. If clubs cannot sell all their products locally, they call on the county committee for assistance and in some cases the county committees appeal to the State committee for help. In Chattanooga, Tennessee, the clubs maintain a booth in a central market house with a club member in charge. This member member receives a commission on sales. Various other marketing plans are outlind in the publication previously mentioned. Copies of this publication can be had on application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., so long as the supply lasts.

THE TWO FIGHTING HARPS

Two fighting harps—Mike O'Dowd of St. Paul and Joe Connelly of Charlestown, will figure in the main bout at the Boston arena next Tuesday night. It ought to me the big fistic battle of the season without a dull moment in it.

O'Dowd made the entire fistic world awaken to his importance when he defeated Ted Kid Lewis, the welter champion of the world at the Arena a few weeks ago. It wasn't any flash in the pan for Mike beat the Britisher in 10 out of the twelve rounds and every Boston critic agreed with Larry Connelly in granting the decision to O'Dowd.

While some may think that Connelly's backers are a bit ambitious in matching him with O'Dowd, yet real judges think that the pride of Charlestown has more than an even chance of beating O'Dowd. He certainly punches harder than the Harp from St. Paul and is as busy and speedy as Mike. He lacks the ring generalship of Mike, however.

Both are courageous as lions. It was O'Dowd's courage and his intense hatred of the British that carried him through a victor in every one of his three fights with Lewis. He just tore after Lewis and the Britisher never had a chance to get set. He was on top every moment.

That is just Joe Connelly's style. He is the busiest boy that one can imagine in action. He knows that is is a big fight and for two weeks he has been up to Silver Lake getting into shape. This assures the patrons of a wonderfully fast fight with both men mixing it every moment.

The semi-final will be a bear of a scrap. It will again bring together Joe Rivers and Victor Dahl of New York. They recently went ten terrific rounds at the Commercial Club and Dahl won. There will also be two preliminaries.

CHINA ANXIOUS TO HELP ALLIES

(By Associated Press)

Pekin, Sept. 21.—The President of the Cabinet has agreed to send a trail division of 24,000 troops to France providing the money and necessary equipment is made available. The allies are willing and France is anxious to get the troops. The Premier favors sending 300,000 troops if the Provisional government will give its approval. There are that many well trained troops in China.

Fort Constitution, N. H., Sealed proposals for constructing hospital here will be received until 12 M. Sept. 26, 1917. Information on application to Quartermaster.

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DR. E. B. GOODALL

Sept. 15, 1917.

BRANCH BANKS TO BE OPENED IN UNITED STATES

(By Associated Press)

Tokio, Sept. 22—Owing to the rapid growth of trade relations between the United States and Japan, many leading bank institutions have opened or will open branches in various places in the United States to facilitate the finance between the two nations.

KOREANS BEING BROUGHT TO JAPAN

(By Associated Press)

Tokio, Sept. 22—Owing to the shortage of labor and the rise of the daily wage in Japan, Koreans are being brought to this country to relieve the situation.

BANKERS GIVE BIG WAR CREDIT

(By Associated Press)

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—Canadian bankers at a conference here today agreed upon a credit of $150,000,000 for the conservation of food for the allies.

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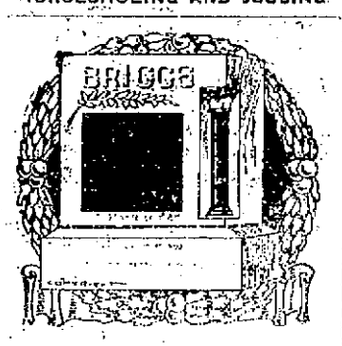

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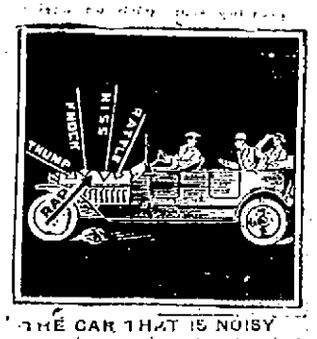

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MUCH MONEY DESTROYED IN MEXICO

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City, Sept. 22—The sum of 547,471,960 pesos in paper money of various issues has been destroyed by the Monetary commission and officers of the government according to a report from the Department of Finance. This money formerly was in circulation. In addition there has been destroyed 48,658,355 pesos of the same issues which never had been put in circulation and had remained in the treasury.

Up to August 15, there had been issued 4,013,405 pesos in gold bonds which have been issued in exchange for the paper money of former issues and interest on these bonds has been paid in national gold to the sum of 658,107 pesos. About 4,231,000 pesos in redeemed national bank bills have been burned.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON AT FRENCH RESORT

(By Associated Press)

Trouville, France, Sept. 22— The fourth war season of this great French seaside resort has been the most successful since that of 1913. The villas have all been occupied, the hotels filled to the garrets, and the daily promenade has been almost as brilliant as when it was interrupted three years ago. It has been to a certain extent a gay season, with the result that France generally has been scandalized by it. Millionaires are not playing high stakes at baccarat, the the horses are not across the river at Dauville, but tango was here, which caused trouble.

The casino was only half opened, but each evening the lights burned a little later for what was called "Children's fetes." Under the direction of a competent floor manager, these children's fetes became so popular and were prolonged so late as to attract attention. The prefect of the department of Calvados decided that the fetes resembled too much the tango which, since the war has been danced in France only clandestinely. Nearby resorts, who observed the curfew regulations and put out their lights at 12 o'clock, complained that Trouville was wasting the coal that would be needed next winter to keep the wounded soldiers warm in the grand palace, so tango has been exiled, but the crowd remains.

There is no obvious gambling here, but there is an intensive consumption of drink. Champagne, which by common consent was to be reserved for the celebration of the final victory, has come out of the cellar with three years of accumulated energy. The bottles are opened with rare caution however, to prevent the popping of the corks—an easy concession to propriety. As champagn is easier to obtain than whisky, it has the preference with the English as well as with the South Americans, and even is tolerated by the Scotch.

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Advent Christian Church, Hanover St.

Irving F. Barnes B. D., pastor.

10.30 a. m. The pastor will endeavor to answer three questions from the Word of God. 1.—Did Jesus and His Disciples teach that the second coming of Christ was near, in their day, as certain scoffers assert? 2.—Are we now living in "the time of the end?" 3.—Are the indications clear that the end itself is near at hand?

12 m. Sunday school.

5.45 p. m. Junior Loyal Workers.

7.15 p. m. Singing, congregational and by choir, male chorus, and soloist. Short sermon by the pastor, evangelical and vital.

Prayer meetings Tuesday and Friday 7.30 p. m.

Unitarian Church

Service at 10.30. Sermon by Rev. Alfred Gooding.

Pearl Street People's Baptist Church

Rev. John L. Davis minister.

11 a. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject, "The Prophet Daniel."

12 noon. Sunday school in charge of Supt. H. B. Burton.

3.30 p. m Sunday school rally for our winter's coal. An interesting program. Come.

7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Mrs. Florence B. Reed president.

8 p. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject "Some of the Lions That Were in the Den With Daniel."

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Rev. Percy Warren Caswell, pastor.

Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10.30. The subject of sermon, "The Home."

Bible school session at 12 o'clock. The Men's Class meets at same hour.

Evening worship with preaching by the pastor at 7.30. The subject of sermon, "The Holy Spirit's Work."

Special music at both services by the Lyric Male Quartette. The following numbers will be rendered at the morning service:

Anthem, "Come Unto Me" .....Nevin
Baritone Solo, "In Thee, O Lord, Do I Put My Trust" ..... Adolf Frey
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At the evening service the quartette will repeat, by request:
"Sunset" ..... B. Van de Water

Mid week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Pleasant, helpful meeting. Visitors welcome.

All are invited to attend the services of this church. Men in uniform especially invited. All seats are free.

Christ Church—The Peace Church

Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity.

Services: Holy Eucharist, 7.30 a. m. Procession, Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10.30 a. m. Sunday school and Bible classes 12 m. Evensong and Sermon 7.30 p. m.

The Rector will preach the sermon at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Parents are asked to send their children to the Church School which meets in the Parish House at 12 o'clock noon.

The Bishop Niles Bible Class for men and the Miss Harriet McEwen Kimball Bible Class for women will meet in the Parish House. Men and women are invited to attend these classes.

Prayers will be said at all services for those who have fallen in the war. The service at 7.30 p. m. will be a memorial service for the dead. People are urged to come and pray for their dead. Especially for those who have given their lives for home and country.

Saturday next will be the Feast of St. Michael and All Angels.

The Feast will be kept on Sunday next. The church will be decorated for the Harvest Festival which will be observed at that time. The music will be appropriate to the feast. At this time our annual offering will be made for Diocesan Missions and all are asked to give as liberally as we can for the church's work in the state.

There will be a service of intercession for peace on Monday evening. A meeting of the Senior Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will be held after the service.

On Tuesday there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist with special intention for our country in the war at 7.30 a. m.

The Boy Scouts will meet in the evening.

On Thursday, Holy Eucharist at 7.30 a. m.

Litany and Vespers on Friday at 7.30 p. m.

On Saturday, St. Michael and All Angels Day, Holy Eucharist at 7.30 a. m. and 9.00 a. m.

Middle Street Baptist Church

Visitors always welcome. Men of the Army and Navy cordially invited.

Morning service at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor.

Sunday school at noon in the chapel. Men's Class at noon in the annex. All men welcome.

Evening service at 7.30. Song service. Quartette selections. The pastor will speak upon "Two Impressive Spectacles."

Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday evening at 7.45 in the Guild room. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.45 in the chapel.

The King's Daughters will meet in the chapel Monday at 3 p. m. to elect delegates to the State Convention to be held in Concord September 28 and 29.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Miller Avenue.

Rev. F. J. Scott pastor.

An earnest, homelike church with a welcome in Christ's name. Soldiers and sailors heartily welcomed.

10.30 a. m. Public worship. Sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Unchanging Christ."

12 m. Sunday school.

7.30 p. m. Public worship. Sermon by pastor. Subject "Perfecting Faith." This service will be held in the vestry. An enjoyable and profitable service.

Friday 7.30 p. m. Regular weekly prayer meeting.

North Congregational Church

Morning worship at half past ten o'clock with preaching by the pastor.

Sunday school in the chapel at the noon hour.

Week night meeting on Friday evening at a quarter before eight o'clock.

ELEVEN BILLION DOLLAR BILL TO PRESIDENT.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The eleven-billion-dollar war credits bill conference report was adopted today by the House, and the measure sent to the White House for the President's signature. The Senate acted yesterday.

MUCH VALUABLE PROPERTY DESTROYED

(By Associated Press)

Noyon, France, Sept. 22—An inventory of the forty sugar refineries in the territory liberated from German occupation this year shows that 10 or 12 of them can be restored without difficulty. The rest are nothing but shapeless masses of debris. Very little useful material can be reclaimed from the heaps. The Germans stripped all these refineries of everything in the way of bronze, brass or copper, taking entire machines where practicable and breaking others up to get the most useful metal out of them.

Dynamos worth thousands of francs were destroyed for the sake of a few pounds of copper. The steam engines that were left were also rendered useless.

DENIES THAT THEY ARE IMPLICATED

(By Associated Press)

New York, Sept. 21.—John Moore, secretary of the Friends of Irish Freedom, issued a statement tonight, in regard to the Count Von Bernstorff cable as published by Secretary of State Lansing. He said that the Friends of Irish Freedom is not the organization referred to by Count Von Bernstorff. There has never been any German members, but the membership is confined entirely to those who are of Irish birth or descent. He denied that it has ever taken any part in opposition to the war.

FAMOUS CHINESE LIBRARY SOLD TO JAP MILLIONAIRE

Peking, Sept. 21.—Dr. George E. Morrison, political adviser to the Chinese government, has sold his famous Chinese library to Baron Iwasaki, a Japanese millionaire. The purchase price was $175,000 gold, and the library is to be removed from Peking to Tokio within six weeks.

Repeated efforts have been made to get the Chinese government to buy this famous collection of books, and place it at the disposal of the public, but Chinese officials did not appreciate the value of keeping such a library in China and permitted the Japanese to buy it overthoir heads.

Dr. Morrison had been collecting the library, which contains over 20,000 volumes, for more than twenty years. The books are in many languages other than Chinese, and all relate to China and Chinese subjects.

There are many famous old editions in the Morrison collection. It is especially rich in rare editions of the works of Marco Polo. It contains a copy of the first Latin edition of his travels printed in 1845, and also a copy of the first Italian edition of the same work printed in 1495. There are also fifteen other editions of Marco Polo works bearing dates prior to 1700.

Dr. Morrison sold his library under an agreement that it is to be kept intact and called the George E. Morrison Library. His agreement of sale also provides that the buyer of the library should keep it constantly available for the use of serious students in Japan.

Mr. Edgar Stoddard of Manchester was here on Friday on business.

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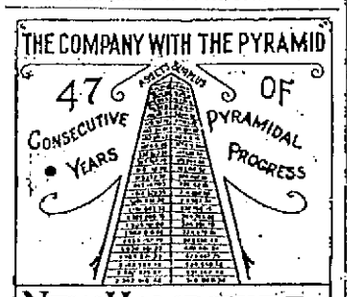

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WANTED—A barber. Apply at 46 Daniel street. hc s14, tf

WANTED—Pastry cook at the Portsmouth Cafe. Rowe and Voudy. h, S 13, tf.

WANTED—Boy to work on a farm. Light work. Apply at this office. ch 3t s20

WANTED—Housekeeper's position for one or more gentlemen, by American Protestant widow. Will be at liberty Oct. 1. Refer to present employer. Portsmouth Tel. 327-R. h s18, 1w

WANTED—100 men to try Murray's Quick Lunch. Regular meals, order cooking. 128 Penhallow st. h s21, tf

BOAT WANTED—16 ft. light dory or skiff. Price must be low. Address D. W. R., this office. hc,s10,tf

WANTED—In Exeter, a live boy or girl to gather news for the Portsmouth Herald. Address The Herald, Portsmouth, N. H. ch tf m25

WANTED—In York, a live girl or boy to gather news for the Portsmouth Herald. Address The Herald, Portsmouth, N. H. M 19, h tf.

GIRL WANTED.—One familiar with typewriting and some ability to canvass. Address Business, Herald-Chronicle Office.

WANTED—In Newmarket, a live girl or boy to gather news for the Portsmouth Herald. Address The Herald, Portsmouth, N. H. ch tf m25

FURNITURE MOVING—Both local and long distance, with heavy auto truck and handlers of long experience. Prices moderate. The Portsmouth Furniture Co., cor. Deer and Vaughan streets, near B. & M. depot. hc s24, tf

BUSINESS OR PROFESSIONAL MAN over thirty years; Big Heat Regulator firm wants another salesman to handle their well known line on commission; we recognize and reward ability; a well tried article in constant demand; sells readily to the best class of house owners. If you are a real business getter and able to finance yourself for a limited period; write today, stating experience, average earnings and whether or not you can furnish a fidelity bond. Remember, this is not just "another job," but for a really high grade man it is the opening to a prosperous life career. Sales Manager, Crandon Manufacturing Co., Portland, Me. hc s19, 3t

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TO LET—About Oct. 1 for a year or longer, to reliable couple, one half furnished house in central part of city. Six rooms with improvements. Phone 892-R. ch tf s22

TO LET—Two rooms for light housekeeping, centrally located, with modern improvements. Address B. G., this office.

TO LET—Large light room suitable for two. Inquire at the Remnant store, 250 State street. hc s21, tf

TO LET—A furnished room with sun, bath room and heat to reliable party, gentleman preferred, in Kittery near the Navy Yard. Tel. 597R. hc 18,1w

TO LET—Two large rooms for light housekeeping. Bathroom floor. 57 Court street, near Liberty. hc s15, 3t.

TO LET—One single room, with kitchen privileges if desired; Apply 166 Cabot street.

FOR RENT—The third floor over Chas. W. Green's store, next to A. G. Brewster's Bldg., also the basement. The upper floor would make an excellent photograph gallery or tin shop. Inquire at this office. hc m27, tf

TO LET—Large newly furnished front room (bath room adjoining) in private family. Address J this office or telephone 834W. hc s8, 1w

TO LET—Store on Deer St. Refrigerator, meat blocks, electric lights and other furnishings. Apply 127 Deer St. h 1w s19.

TO LET—Furnished room; Apply 126 Bridge street. hc S15 1w.

TO LET—Two or three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 126 Bridge street. hc s15, 1w.

TO LET—Furnished room; modern conveniences; residential section. Tel. 797W.

TO LET—Three large furnished rooms for housekeeping, also large front room suitable for two gentlemen; references. Address Z, Herald office. h s20, 1w

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One double barrelled, hammerless shot gun, 12 gauge, and gun case; 1 Duxbak hunting coat, stout, and 1 pair of Barker hunting shoes. All nearly new. Will be sold at a bargain for cash. Inquire of A. Bates, 36 Congress street. h s18, 1w

FOR SALE—Some very good show cases and wall fixtures. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House of three rooms, small farm, barn, hen house and hen yard wired in for three hundred hens; acre and a half land with apple, pear, plum, peach, quince trees and grape vines. All planting has been done. Five minutes walk from schoolhouse. Apply to C. H. Miller, Durgin's Lane, off Woodbury avenue, Portsmouth. N. H. hc J 8, tf.

FOR SALE—New and remodeled furniture. Furniture at less than half regular prices; also highest cash price paid for second hand furniture and office furnishings, roll-top desks, safes, counters, antiques, etc. 99 Penhallow St., Tel. 722M. hc s1, tf

TYPEWRITERS of all makes for sale and to rent. The Typewriter Store, Dover, N. H. hc s 17, tf

SEWING MACHINES.—Three drop head Singers $35.00, $22.00, $13.50, respectfully; New Home, $27.00; Demorest $9.00; Household $8.00; New American $7.00; New Home $6.00. Three Singer machines returned from rent. A. F. Shaw, Singer Machine Co., 22 Congress St., Portsmouth, N. H. Tel. 1159-R. ch 1w s13.

FOR SALE—1912 Cadillac, just been overhauled, good tires, spare parts. Good bargain. Apply Ensign F. Fichler, U. S. S. Paducah. ch 1w s7.

FOR SALE—Small National cash register. Apply to Box 263. ch tf s17

G. M. C. TRUCK, 3½ ton, in good running order, just the truck for lumber business; bunks all on; will sell cheap. James Read, 131 Milford street, Manchester. hc s14, 1w

LOST.

LOST—A dark brown fur scarf on Saturday, Sept. 15, between Sidis Institute and post office. Liberal reward if returned to Sidis Institute. hc S 19, 3t.

LOST—Between the Whipple school and Colonial Theatre, or in it, a string of gold beads. Finder return to Herald Office and receive reward.

FOUND.

FOUND—On Wednesday, Sept. 5, a Connecticut auto license. Owner may have same by proving property and paying $1. Apply at this office.

BUSINESS CHANCES—We establish Cut Rate Tire Agencies. There should be one in each locality; 30x3½ non-skids, $6.80; 30x3½ non-skids, $8.60. Small capital required; profits are large. For full particulars address Popular Tire & Rubber Co., 1659 Broadway, New York, N. Y. hc s14, 1w

Good opportunity to get piano at less than half value, returned on lease to our district agent. In perfect condition, mahogany upright, well known make, chair and scarf go with it, no expense, conditions of purchase will be made to suit customer. Address Bates-Mitchell Company, care of this office.

TIME TABLE

Portsmouth, Dover and York Street Railway.

In Effect Sept. 5, 1917.

(Subject to change without notice)

Cars leave Portsmouth for York Beach via Kittery and Kittery Point at 6.55 a. m. and every hour until 8.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7.55 a. m.

Cars leave Rosemary for York Beach via Rosemary at 6.56 a. m. and every hour until 9.56 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7.55 a. m.

Cars leave Portsmouth for Dover and South Berwick at 6.55 a. m. and every hour until 9.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7.55 a. m.

Cars leave Dover for York Beach at 6.05 a. m. and every hour until 10.05 p. m. (Change at Rosemary). First trip Sunday at 8.05 a. m.

Cars leave Dover for Portsmouth at 6.05 a. m. and every hour until 10.05 p. m. Sundays—First trip at 8.05 a. m.

Cars leave Dover for South Berwick at 6.30 a. m. and every hour until 10.30 p. m. Sundays—First trip 8.30 a. m.

Cars leave York Beach for Dover and Portsmouth via Rosemary at 8.35 and every hour until 9.35 p. m. also 10.35 p. m. to South Berwick Junction. Sundays—First trip 7.35 a. m.

Cars leave York Beach for Portsmouth via Kittery at 8.35 a. m.

SMOKE S. G. LONDRES 10c CIGAR
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SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

The American Library Association under the War Department has addressed a letter to all libraries of the country, setting forth the need of libraries and reading matter in the cantonments and larger encampments where sailors and soldiers will assemble.

It is desired to raise the sum of $1,000,000 in cash for this purpose. The quota allotted to Portsmouth is $600. Money and subscriptions will be received at the Public Library.

May the proverbial patriotic and liberal spirit of our community respond to this most worthy call. Sums from $1.00 up gratefully received. The campaign for this purpose will last a week, and a quick response will materially assist the committee.

HANNAH G. FERNALD, Librarian.

LOCAL DOCTORS DON'T LIKE IT

Navy Physicians Will Treat Injured Workmen in This City.

One of the local physicians states that there is considerable feeling among the men of the profession in this city as a result of a recent order issued by the navy department relative to employes of the navy yard who are injured there while in performance of their duties.

According to the local doctor, a ruling has been made that every man injured shall receive treatment not only at the navy yard but the navy physicians are required to attend the injured men in Portsmouth during the time they are confined to their homes. Local physicians state that such arrangement on the part of the government would greatly interfere with their practice and would be the means of losing considerable revenue during the year.

TO THE RESIDENTS OF PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY

For the comfort, entertainment and improvement of our soldiers and sailors now assembled in large encampments, it is the purpose of the American Library Association, acting under the approval and guidance of the War Department of the United States, to establish libraries, both buildings and books.

There is a large demand for reading matter in the various camps. In no other way can so much be done for the welfare of our boys at so small expense. The Library has asked the co-operation and assistance of all libraries in this country, and has asked them to present the subject to their people confident of a favorable response. The amount to be raised is $1,000,000 and it is estimated the five per cent in money of the population will produce this sum. Manchester, N. H., is called upon to produce $6,000. The allotment for Portsmouth is $600. An early response is especially desired.

Contributions maybe left at the Piscataqua Bank, or will be called for on summons by telephone. Checks to the order of E. C. Matthews, Treasurer, may be mailed.

Thousands of patriotic women are working for the comfort of the soldiers. Thousands have seen the boys leave for the front. Boys in blue or khaki are seen on our streets, a daily reminder that they are preparing to render supreme service to their country. Let us be forward in contributing to their comfort and encourage them with the knowledge that the home people are back of them and appreciate what they are doing for us.

E. C. MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

Miss Virginia Alchet is entertaining the members of her club for the week-end at her parents' cottage at Wallis Sands. Eleanor Jones, Sarah Thomas, Helen Newick, Virginia Barton, Vivian Goldsmith and Florence Stott make up the party. Miss Knowles and Miss Parmelee are acting as chaperones.

FOR SALE

PACKARD TWIN-SIX

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In fine mechanical order; recently re-varnished; four new Kelly Kant Slip Tires, two extras; has several extras including slip covers; most moderately priced; will demonstrate by appointment.

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PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Miss Theresa Cummings of Watertown is a visitor here.

Philip Trafton has taken the Tilton house on Lincoln avenue.

J. S. Gurnett of Portland, Me., is the guest of J. E. Pickering.

Otis S. Brown of North Hampton was a visitor here on Saturday.

Miss Florence H. Ward is passing the week-end at Northampton, Mass.

Deputy Marshal George H. Ducker has completed his two weeks' vacation.

Philip P. Borden leaves for Providence Monday to enter Brown University.

Miss Margaret Neville of Chapel street is enjoying a vacation at Littleton, N. H.

Mrs. Ada A. Nelson is enjoying two weeks' vacation from her hair dressing parlors.

Letter Carrier Harry H. Foote has returned from a few days vacation passed in Boston.

John Bartlett who has been visiting F. W. Hartford and family has returned to Lynnfield, Mass.

Msis Fannie Adams of this city has been the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Irving Davis in Eliot.

Leslie B. Heeney of Kittery is among the class of freshmen at Bowdoin college which opened on Thursday.

Mrs. Wallace D. Walker has taken up her residence with Frederick M. Sise and family of Richards avenue.

Miss Emily Stoddard who has been visiting relatives in this city has returned to her home in Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Joseph Maddock of this city was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Davis of Eliot recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Noyes of York Beach who have been visiting friends in Manchester have returned home.

Mrs. Cecil Downing has been removed from the hospital to her home on Broad street and is making rapid recovery.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Greene of Dennett street quietly observed another anniversary of their marriage.

Hon. W. F. Hite and family of Huntington, West Va., have returned from that city and re-opened their home at Newcastle.

George P. Knight, foreman at the Boston and Maine railroad freight shed has been off duty the past week owing to sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Harmon of Elm Court leave on Monday for Moultonboro, N. H., where they will enjoy a stay of two weeks.

On Saturday Lewis E. Chase, the genial proprietor of Chase's hotel at Rockingham reached another milestone in life's journey.

Miss Mollie Newton, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman T. Newton, returned on Saturday to Hartford, Conn.

Reginald Trafton, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Trafton, has been operated upon for appendicitis. His condition is most favorable.

Miss Flora McDuffee who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs E. J. Averill in Sanford, Me., for the past two weeks has returned to her home in this city.

Corporal Omer G. Comeau of the First Company Coast Artillery, who is doing guard duty at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., is home on a short furlough.

A. O. Benfield, wife and child with Albert J. Benfield and friend of Boston, leave on Sunday for a tour of the mountains. They will make a stay at Dixville Notch.

Fred H. Harmon is enjoying a vacation from his duties at the Portsmouth Savings bank and left on Saturday for Boston. He will later visit New York and Washington.

Among those who accompanied the Manchester delegation to Ayer on Thursday was Rev. William J. Cavanaugh of Groveton, formerly curate at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in this city.

REMEMBERED ON THE EVE OF DEPARTURE

Colgate Fish Is Presented With Wrist Watch and Other Gifts.

A farewell dinner to Colgate Fish, who left on Friday with the Portsmouth contingent for the training camp at Ayer, Mass., was tendered him by his friends on Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. Peterson on Wibird street. The decorations consisted of the national colors and the allies. After the ceremony, Mr. L. W. Ewald presented him on behalf of his friends, a handsome wrist watch, money belt and silver case to hold the identification coin. The following gentlemen contributed to the gifts: Mr. J. M. Namee, William Ward, Sherman Newton, Jr., R. B. Hill, R. C. Gray, L. W. Ewald, R. M. Bruce, A. O. Peterson, Dr. F. A. Feurhan.

Dancing, interspersed with patriotic songs concluded the evening's entertainment.

NOTES OF THE NEW SHIP BUILDING CO.

Work was started on the mammoth restaurant building which will be 150x50. The building will be ready for use in two weeks.

One of the new locomotives was tested out today and will be used on Monday.

One of the men who ran away from his work here as stated in The Herald, and was overhauled and his badge taken away, attempted to register for work at the navy yard on Wednesday.

The company is anxious to have a boat landing at Eliot and a site is being selected.

Superintendent Rourke of the Boston and Maine with Chief Engineer Sheppard were here on Friday to inspect the track arrangements.

More laborers are needed in some of the departments.

The workmen's train will be put on the line within a few days.

THE HERALD HEARS

That it's about time to start something on Middle street.

That the Portsmouth Company of the State Guard should come out and show those new uniforms and what they look like on a march.

That Portsmouth may furnish a candidate for the vacancy on the bench of superior court made vacant by the death of Judge Chamberlin.

That some funny stories are in circulation concerning the matter of a new draw on the Portsmouth and Kittery bridge.

That the brewers cannot be blamed for the suffrage defeat in Maine.

That the man who advocates no steam or furnace heat before Nov. 1 must have been raised in an ice house.

That it is easily known he is not a resident of New Hampshire.

That two well known young ladies of this city certainly deserve a card of thanks from the S. P. C. A. for a recent humane act.

That they got tired watching a tramp dog scratching himself on account of a raid of fleas on his hide.

That they decided that Carlo was due for a bath the next time he appeared within their eyesight.

That they did not know whether Carlo was a gatle animal or not or whether he would prefer the fleas to a scrub.

That they took a chance and grabbed him for the scrub.

That he was as quiet as a kitten and in his mute way showed his appreciation of the napthol dip.

That the ladies say that every scratching canine which comes along cannot expect this amount of attention and that they are not conducting a permanent animal relief station.

That woman's dress this fall will be characterized by simple lines and colors, but there is nothing simple about paying the bill.

That the people of North Kittery are not worried about the lack of church services since the recent parish split.

That the boys at Dover Point last Sunday are still trying to find out why the 9 O'Clock club did not get in on the picnic.

That every man tells the truth once in a while but it is some shock to some of them.

That some women who dress to attract attention often attract the wrong kind.

That it is not too early to give the Chrismas shopping a thought if you want to get something over to the boys across the water.

That some of the flags that have been out since the United State split with Germany need a bath.

NOTES FROM THE TRIP TO AYER

Some of the visitors to the Ayer camp with the Portsmouth boys will not soon forget the sight.

Dr. Pender was among the few that really got into the camp. He made a two hour tour and found the Portsmouth boys.

The recruits from Portsmouth were soon lost in the thousands that poured into the camp.

Most of the Portsmouth delegation returned without getting inside the camp.

The arrival at camp was just one minute inside the schedule.

One of the autos was discovered to be without gas, another had a blowout before it got outside of the city limits.

Every man in the contingent from this city entered the cantonment in the best of spirits.

The trip was enjoyed and all hands got down to business before nightfall.

LOCAL DASHES

Wilson's orchestra, Dover Park, Monday.

Chevrolet automobiles. C. E. Woods, Bow St.

Portsmouth is to have another big restaurant.

Dancing tonight, Freeman's hall, Marden's orchestra.

Household furniture for sale. Apply at 126 Vaughan street.

Keep boosting is The Herald's motto. Smile, even if it hurts some.

A detachment of marines arrived for the yard from Boston Friday.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.

A party of thirty men came here today from Marblehead, Mass., to advertise the A. A. meet.

Antique furniture restored and upholstered. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

The Paul Jones building, will as announced exclusively in The Herald, be fitted in a few days for use.

Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

Portsmouth will have a candidate to succeed Councillor Varney. It is Rockingham county's turn this year.

WANTED—At once, two electricians and two helpers. Phone 1305; can work Sundays and overtime. he s22, 3t

A conference of all New England shipbuilders will be held in Boston on October 1. Francis T. Bowles will preside.

In the list of names of the men going to the Ayer camp Friday, the name of Mr. Fish should have read C. Colgate Fish.

Another large detail of sailors from the training camp at the navy yard were sent into service on Friday and their places taken by a detail from the Newport training station.

Practically new Ford coupe, 1917 model, price most attractive. Apply at once, Sinclair Garage. s19, 3t

The P. D. & Y. Street railway steamer Alice Howard, certainly looks spic and span in her new dress. She will go on the river in a few days.

Farmers claim that apples will be rather scarce this fall. There was prospect of a big yield but for some reason the apples did not get a good start.

Experienced packers of wedding presents, silver, china, cut glass, furniture, etc. Margeson Bros. Tel .570.

Wilson's Orchestra, Freeman's Hall, Portsmouth, Tuesday evening.

The Standard Oil company have begun work on their new plant on Nobles Island, and two houses have already been moved. The new plant will be on the west side of the island.

The Fall and Winter Styles of Millinery will meet with most hearty favor. A visit to Mrs. C. H. Clough's on Congress street, opposite the Public Library, will be of unusual interest and profit. h s21, 3t

Charles Sheehan, teacher of dancing as it is done in the dance hall today, is ready to give lessons private or in class. Popular prices. Call or write to 100 Dennett street. h e10, tf

An unique spectacle was witnessed on Congress street on Saturday morning when two mules attached to one of the army wagons from Fort Constitution were seen complacently chewing away at two empty hemp bags they had purloined from a farmer's wagon standing close by.

The grab bag scream tonight, Freeman's hall.

The firemen's muster and playout which has been held for a number of years in connection with the Amesbury fair, has been given up this year. While it is expected that the attendance will fall off some this year due to the abolishing of the muster which always drew a large crowd, it is felt that the expense will be cut in keeping so that the net profits will be fully as large.

IT COST HIM $60 FOR THE WINDOW

Auto Driver Settles for Damage Out of Court.

The party who crashed through the window of the M. C. Foye store in an automobile and then escaped was located across the river on Friday. Today he came here and made a settlement with the proprietor out of court. It cost him just $56 for the glass and $5 for the window sign which was damaged in the crash. The damage was accidental to a certain extent, he having lost control of his car.

CRACK SHOT ON RANGE AT LAKE

United States Marines at Massabesic Demonstrate Their Marksmanship.

A minature army of 73 marines from the Portsmouth navy yard, forming almost an entire company, is now camping on the grounds of the state range as Massabesic lake. They have gone there for rifle practice although they are not in absolute need of it.

On their arrival on the state grounds the marines pitched their khaki tents in military order and started about on what may be called their vacation army life. For the next ten days they will sojourn at Massabesic, after which they will break camp, return to the Portsmouth navy yard, to be succeeded here by two companies of bluejackets who will try their judgment at the estimation of the ranges, and in a friendly competition try to outshoot the marines.

The bluejackets will also camp about ten days at Massabesic, after which they will return to their depot in Portsmouth.

Although the naval authorities will not state all the particulars of the shoot, they do not contradict that prizes are to be awarded to the best snipers.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Eliza C. James

Died Sept. 21st at Hollis Depot, N. H., Eliza C. James, widow of the late George R. James. She is survived by a son, George F. James of Newtonville, Mass., and a sister of Mrs. F. E. Dearborn of this city.

MILLINERY OPENING

Miss E. M. Niles will open her millinery rooms to the public on Sept. 26th and 27th where she will display her pattern hats. Rooms will be open during Wednesday evening.

SERVICES AT THE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

There will be preaching at the Universalist church at 10.30 o'clock on Sunday morning.

HARMON'S HOME MADE

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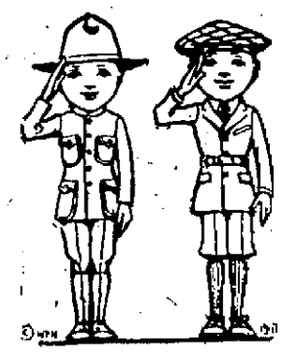

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